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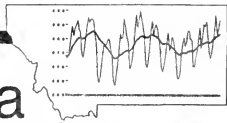
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# Montana Employment and Labor Force Trends

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1st Quarter 1992 Report

## Economic Highlights and Employment Outlook

Montana's Civilian Labor Force averaged 410,100 during the first quarter of 1992—the highest first quarter average ever recorded in the state. It represented a 2.1 percent increase of 8,500 over the previous quarter—and a 2.4 percent increase of 9,600 over the first quarter of 1991. The increase was primarily due to a warmer-than-usual winter that allowed for more out-of-doors work, plus continuing employment growth in various service industry sectors.

### Employment

Total average employment averaged 376,100 during the first quarter of 1992—representing increases of 3,600 over the preceding quarter, and of 7,300 over the first three

months of 1991. Total employment was down 4,100, however, from the first quarter of 1990, when 380,300 workers were employed during another unseasonably-warm winter.

### Unemployment

Although there was an increase in employment during the quarter, there was also an increase in the number of Montanans reported as unemployed. The number of unemployed averaged 34,000 for the quarter—up 4,900 from the preceding quarter, and up 2,300 from the first quarter of 1991. The average unemployment rate for the quarter was 8.3 percent.

### Total Non-Agricultural Employment\*\*

**\*\*NOTE:** Numbers may not total due to rounding.

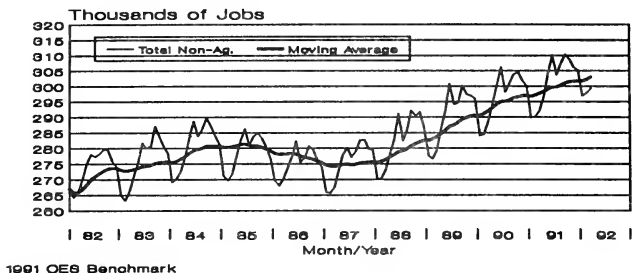
Montana's economy was directly affected by a mild winter, and by an early spring breakup that kept loggers out of the forests. It

## Quarterly Trends

| — Montana — |                               |                    |                      |                             | — U. S. —                |
|-------------|-------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Quarter     | Montana Civilian Labor Force* | Montanans Employed | Montanans Unemployed | Unemployment Rate (Montana) | Unemployment Rate (U.S.) |
| 1992 - 1st  | 410,100                       | 376,100            | 34,000               | 8.3%                        | 7.9%                     |
| 1991 - 4th  | 401,600                       | 372,500            | 29,100               | 7.2%                        | 6.6%                     |
| 1991 - 3rd  | 405,600                       | 380,700            | 24,900               | 6.1%                        | 6.5%                     |
| 1991 - 2nd  | 404,300                       | 378,000            | 26,300               | 6.5%                        | 6.7%                     |
| 1991 - 1st  | 400,500                       | 368,800            | 31,700               | 7.9%                        | 7.1%                     |
| 1990 - 4th  | 397,400                       | 370,900            | 26,500               | 6.7%                        | 5.7%                     |

\*Rounded Civilian Labor Force Numbers, 1992 Benchmark (Not Seasonally Adjusted)

### Total Non-Agricultural Jobs In Montana: Jan. 1982 - March 1992

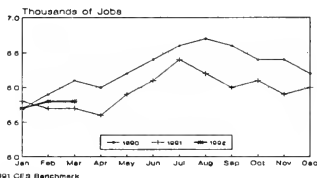


was also indirectly affected by a national recession.

**Non-agricultural wage-and-salary employment** for the first quarter averaged 298,000—which was 8,800 fewer than during the previous quarter, and 7,300 more than the first quarter of 1991. **Private sector jobs** increased over the year by 8,500, while **government jobs** decreased by 1,200. **Construction employment** provided the state's bright spot as mild winter conditions and some large construction projects contributed to an increase of 1,600 jobs over the first 3 months of 1991.

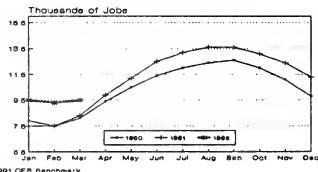
**ing, coal mining and oil & gas extraction** remained essentially unchanged. **Non-metallic mining & quarrying** showed an increase of about 100 jobs, primarily due to construction demand for sand and gravel.

#### Mining Jobs in Montana



**MINING** saw only a slight gain in jobs over the first 3 months of 1991. Mining jobs averaged about 5,800 during the quarter—up only slightly from a year before when mining jobs averaged around 5,700. Jobs in **metal min-**

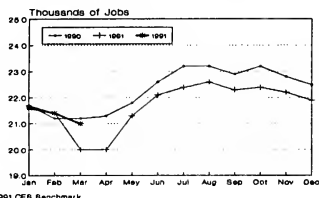
#### Construction Jobs in Montana



**CONSTRUCTION** gained about 1,700 jobs over the first quarter of 1991. **General building** increased by 300 jobs—while **heavy construction** and **special trades** each gained 700 jobs.

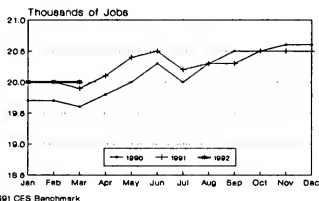
**MANUFACTURING** jobs averaged 21,300 for the quarter, up 300 from a year before. **Lumber & wood products** was up over the year by 100 jobs, and **food & kindred products** posted a gain of about 200 jobs. **Stone, clay & glass** and **printing & publishing** each declined by about 100 jobs.

Manufacturing Jobs in Montana



The average number of jobs in **TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES (TCU)** stood at 20,000, with just slightly more jobs than the first quarter of 1991. **Local & interurban transit** was down by 100 jobs—while

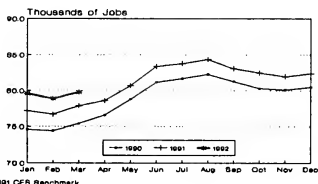
Transportation-Communication-Utilities Jobs in Montana



**trucking & warehousing and utilities & sanitary services** were each up by about 100.

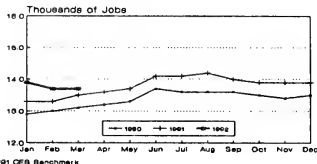
First quarter jobs in **TRADE** increased by 2,200 over the first quarter of 1991. **Retail trade** made the largest gain by adding 2,100

Trade Jobs in Montana



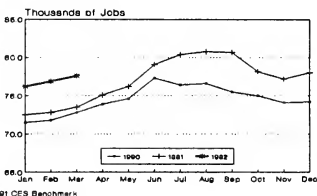
jobs, while **wholesale trade** gained only about 100 jobs. Within retail trade all sectors showed modest increases except for **apparel & accessories**, which registered no change from the previous year.

Finance, Insurance &amp; Real Estate Jobs in Montana

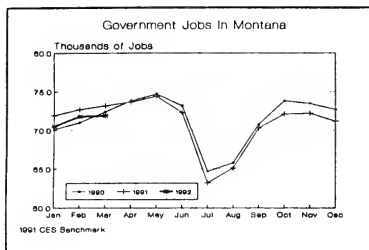


Jobs in **FINANCE, INSURANCE & REAL ESTATE (FIRE)** increased by 400 over first quarter 1991, with jobs averaging 13,800 during first quarter 1992. **Finance** showed a 200 jobs gain. **Real estate** and **insurance** were each up by nearly 100 jobs.

Services Jobs in Montana



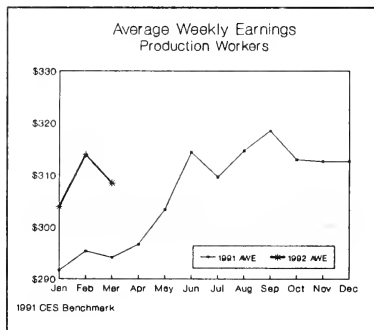
**SERVICES** increased by 4,000 jobs over the corresponding quarter in 1991. Job gains from a year ago occurred in **hotels & lodging places (+700)**, **personal services (+100)**, **automobile repair, services & garages (+300)**, **amusement & recreation (+800)**, **health services (+1,000)**, **social services (+500)**, and **engineering & management (+400)**. **Legal, business services and membership organizations** job levels each stayed the same—while **educational and accounting & auditing services** each reported slight declines from the year before.



GOVERNMENT jobs averaged 71,400, down by 1,200 from the corresponding quarter in 1991. Federal government was down by 500 jobs, local government was down by 800 – and state government showed a slight gain of 100 jobs. The biggest job loss in local government occurred in local education, which showed a loss of 1,000 jobs from the previous year.

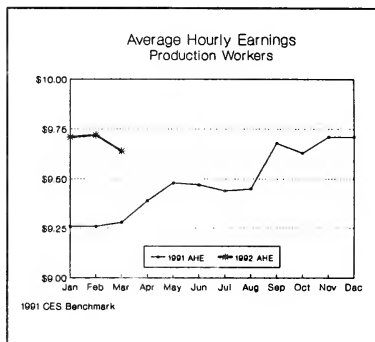
### Average Weekly Hours and Earnings

Average weekly earnings increased by \$15.04 over the first quarter of 1991 to \$308.79. This was in response to a 0.2 hour increase in the average weekly hours worked. Average hourly earnings increased by 42 cents to \$9.69.

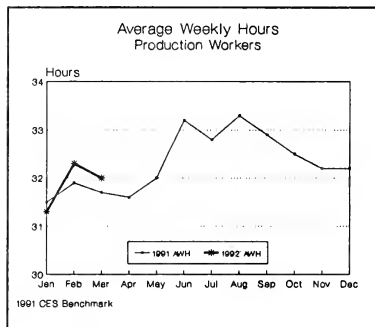


Average weekly earnings during March were higher than during March 1991 in all sectors. The March-to-March gain was \$14.30, or 4.9 percent.

Average hourly earnings in March 1992 were 36 cents higher than in March 1991. All sectors except FIRE reported higher hourly



wages during March 1992 than during March 1991, with CONSTRUCTION showing the most gain.



Average weekly hours went up in all sectors except SERVICES. Construction workers were averaging 1.6 more hours a week this March than during March 1991.

## Mass Layoffs in Montana During 1991

There were 10 more layoff events and about 300 more job separations in Montana during 1991 than in 1990, with nearly half of the layoffs occurring during the first quarter of the year. More workers were laid off in manufacturing's lumber & wood products industry during 1991 than in any other industry, and "seasonal work" continued to be the most common factor cited for layoffs.

### MLS Program

Statistics cited in this article come from the Mass Layoff Statistics (MLS) Program — which identifies, describes and tracks the impact of major job layoffs on workers in Montana. The program monitors layoffs of at least 31 days in duration that involve at least 20 workers filing initial claims for unemployment insurance during a consecutive 3-week period.

### Industries Involved

Manufacturing layoffs accounted for 42 percent of 1991's total separations, compared to 27 percent the year before. Separations in the lumber & wood products industry doubled over the previous year and accounted for most manufacturing layoffs in the state. The largest lumber mill closure ended with most of the laid-off workers being called back to work after a 2-month layoff. Several of the affected mills appear to be facing uncertain futures, and

state annual employment figures show that the lumber & wood products industry loss of 800 jobs during 1991 was the biggest yearly drop in that industry since 1982.

Following close behind in separations were Montana's service and construction industries. In services, seasonal layoffs occurred at ski resorts, and in education and Head Start programs. Construction layoff separations remained about the same in number as they did in 1990 — with all but 1 layoff event labeled as "seasonal" or "contract completed."

Three-fourths of 1991 mining industry separations occurred in the first quarter of the year. Metal prices and environmental concerns played bigger roles in mining layoffs during the year than the seasonal work factor.

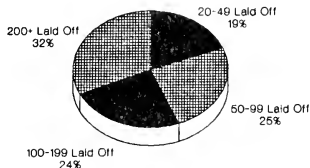
### Sizes of Layoffs

Layoffs of fewer than 50 workers accounted for half of 1991's layoff events, but only 19 percent of total job separations. Layoffs of 200 or more workers accounted for only 6 percent of the year's layoff events, but 32 percent of separations. The percentage of workers laid off in 200-plus worker layoffs has been increasing during the past 3 years, growing from just 15 percent of total separations in 1989 — to 27 percent in 1990 and 32 percent in 1991.

**Industry Distribution of Mass Layoffs and Separations  
In Montana during 1991 and 1990**

| INDUSTRY                                | 1991          |                   |                 | 1990          |                   |                 |
|---|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------------|
|   | Layoff Events | Total Separations | Total UI Claims | Layoff Events | Total Separations | Total UI Claims |
| <b>TOTAL, All Industries</b>            | <b>66</b>     | <b>5,321</b>      | <b>3,819</b>    | <b>56</b>     | <b>5,001</b>      | <b>2,923</b>    |
| Manufacturing                           | 20            | 2,244             | 1,981           | 16            | 1,348             | 971             |
| Durable Goods                           | 17            | 1,824             | 1,714           | 13            | 993               | 769             |
| Lumber & Wood Products                  | 13            | 1,632             | 1,558           | 9             | 797               | 668             |
| Nondurable Goods                        | 3             | 420               | 267             | 3             | 355               | 202             |
| Non-Manufacturing                       | 46            | 3,077             | 1,838           | 40            | 3,653             | 1,952           |
| Mining                                  | 6             | 343               | 308             | 4             | 340               | 218             |
| Construction                            | 19            | 1,042             | 806             | 12            | 1,197             | 854             |
| Transportation/Communications/Utilities | 5             | 383               | 159             | 5             | 610               | 218             |
| Services                                | 15            | 1,224             | 505             | 16            | 1,351             | 588             |
| Other                                   | 1             | 85                | 60              | 3             | 155               | 74              |

Montana's 1991 Mass Layoff Separations  
According to Size of Layoffs

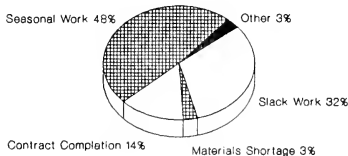


### Reasons Cited

As is usually the case in Montana, the "seasonal work" factor was the prevalent cause of layoffs during 1991. "Seasonal work" was cited by employers in about half of 1991's layoff events — and impacted nearly half of the year's separations. Most of the seasonal layoffs took place during the second quarter of the year.

"Slack work" was cited in about one third of total separations in 1991, with "slack work" layoffs occurring mainly in manufacturing.

Reasons for Mass Layoffs  
In Montana During 1991



"Contract completed" layoffs occurred in a variety of industries, including manufacturing industries that were affected by recent declines in military spending. One Montana firm that manufactured products needed during the Persian War conflict laid off part of its work force when one contract was completed, but was later able to recall most of those workers when another military contract

was secured. It will be interesting to see the effects of cutbacks in military spending on the nation's industries. Those effects should be minimal in Montana, however, whose share of the military spending pie is small in comparison with other states.

All "materials shortage" layoff events occurred in the lumber & wood products industry. Although only 3 percent of total 1991 separations fell under the "materials shortage" reason, materials shortages were also partially involved in several other lumber mills layoffs attributed to "slack work".

Only 1 of Montana's 66 layoffs was due to "bankruptcy," and involved a lumber mill.

### Unemployment Insurance

The percentage of laid-off workers who received unemployment insurance (UI) benefits increased from about half in 1990 to nearly three quarters in 1991. This was probably tied to an increased number of manufacturing layoffs that involved the loss of more permanent jobs.

### Older Workers

Layoffs are hard on everyone, but laid-off older workers often face a more difficult time in retraining and finding new employment than their younger counterparts. MLS unemployment claims data indicates, however, that the percentage of older workers affected in Montana layoffs was probably lower in 1991 than in the nation as a whole. According to UI claims data, workers 55 years of age and older represented only 11 percent of the separations in Montana's lumber & wood products during 1991, and only 8 percent of the rest of the separations in the state. In contrast, 13 percent of all U.S. separations in the first 9 months of 1991 were older workers.

### Female Workers

A far smaller percentage of women were impacted by layoffs in Montana than in the nation, largely because a smaller percentage of women hold manufacturing jobs in Montana — 1-in-5 compared to 3-in-5 nationally. This difference in manufacturing employment explains why only 19 percent of those laid off in Montana during 1991 were female — compared to 44 percent of U.S. separations during the first 9 months of 1991.

## Highlights by Industry Components

### Agriculture

- **Starting with tiny plots** planted with just a few rare wheat kernels, a Big Sandy farmer has increased production of an ancient variety of wheat to over 500 acres. Two-thirds of the organically-grown Kamut is milled locally and sold as flour to customers around the world. One-third is sold as grain. Some of the Kamut is used as the key ingredient in two nationally-distributed Kamut cereal products produced in Michigan and Texas.

### Construction

- **Construction should be completed** by June on the first stage of a \$6 million resort complex on the south shore of Flathead Lake, according to the project's administrator. Financed primarily by the Salish and Kootenai Tribes, the Kwataquuk Resort in Polson will include 112 hotel rooms, a convention center, a restaurant and bar, a casino and a marina. A spokesman says up to 80 full-time workers will be employed during peak summer months.

### Manufacturing

- **Frenchtown's Stone Container Corp.** plans on spending \$18 million over the next year to install a wood-chip screening and sorting system that will enable the plant to make better use of its raw materials. The improvement will not result in any added jobs, according to a spokesman.
- **Well known for its golf bags**, Missoula's Sun Mountain Sports has begun making rainsuits, a pullover shirt, a cardigan and a wind shirt for golfers. A spokesman for the company says Sun Mountain is about to introduce a training device called a Lightspeed Putter Aligner to help golfers improve their putting.
- **A Boeing Co. spokesman** says the company is establishing a subsidiary called Montana Aviation Research Co. to operate its newly-purchased Glasgow Air Force Base property. The company will keep fewer than 10 employees at the base full time, he said, but will fly 30 to 50 employees to the base for 4 or 5 day test programs 6 to 8 times a year.

- **Workers at the Wiese Corp.** shovel plant in Chester are working a fifth 10-hour day each week to keep up with orders, and officials say more workers could be hired. Future plans call for production of reversible chisel plow shovels and field cultivator sweeps.

- **A Missoula manufacturer** anticipates big increases in his company's business because of the Americans With Disabilities Act. Industrial Design & Mfg. makes lift equipment that helps people with disabilities get into swimming pools. Its president says the company is expanding its facility in order to double production of the small Spectrum Pool Products elevator systems.

- **A Bozeman-based video lottery business** has become a big player in the government-run video lottery business. Video Lottery Technologies employees 200 people at its Video Lottery Consultants manufacturing plant in Bozeman—and recently purchased the 600-employee lottery network that operates lotteries such as Lotto America and Montana Cash.

- **A wood pellet plant** owned by Agri Systems has opened in Billings. About 30 workers are employed at the plant, which uses sawdust trucked from an Ashland sawmill to manufacture the pellets used in wood pellet stoves.

- **A small Kalispell manufacturing firm** is scurrying to keep up with orders for 2 clamps that quickly shut off fire hoses and gas lines. The Navy was impressed with Timberline Northwest's aluminum firefighter's clamp that shuts off the water in charged fire hoses in one second, and wants clamps for all its ships. A squeeze-off clamp for polyethylene gas-line pipe developed in consultation with Montana Power Co. engineers is another big seller.

- **A Missoula company** that markets red-pepper based sprays for hikers to use against bears and for police officers to use in their work is about to introduce a spray for general self-defense. A spokesman says the company will target the women's market with the new Counter Assault product.

- **Dana Design** has moved into a new plant north of Bozeman. The 7-year-old company employs nearly 100 workers, and markets its line of backpacks in the United States, Japan and Europe.
- **Missoula County officials** have outlawed hazardous waste incinerators in the Missoula valley, keeping away a Washington firm that recycles electrical transformers. Ross Electric Co. officials have been looking around the state for another location for their business.

#### **Transportation, Communications & Utilities**

- **Montana Rail Link** is part of an international consortium that has won a 30-year contract to modernize a 3,000-mile railroad in Argentina. A spokesman says Rail Link will train Argentines in Missoula on how to run a railroad—and about 20 employees will be added to Rail Link's Livingston Rebuild Center to rebuild locomotive hulks for the Argentine railroad.
- **A contract with Burlington Northern Railroad** to repair 130 rail cars will translate into 20 more jobs at the Livingston Rebuild Center, and another 50 workers may be hired by summer, according to the president of the Livingston company.
- **AT&T has announced** that it will close its operator services office in Billings by the end of 1994. The Billings office will be one of 31 offices closed in 21 states, he says. Ninety-six AT&T long-distance operators and 4 managers will be displaced in Billings by voice recognition machines that will handle collect calls and calls billed to other numbers.
- **The Montana Public Service Commission** has approved a plan for the local governments of Butte and Anaconda to eventually take over the Butte Water Co.
- **U.S. West Communications** has offered early retirement incentives to about 40 Montana workers as part of a plan to reduce the company's work force over the next few years, according to a company spokesman.

#### **Retail Trade**

- **Buttreys Food and Drug** has decided to sell stock and become a publicly traded company.
- **Wal-Mart** has announced plans to build stores in Helena and Missoula—and a Sam's Club

members-only warehouse store in Great Falls. The company had earlier announced that it was building a Sam's Club in Billings, but that plan never materialized.

- **Chevron** has announced that it will quit distributing gasoline and diesel fuel in Montana at the end of July. A company spokesman says he expects Chevron stations in the state will change to other brands of motor fuel.
- **F.W. Woolworth Co.** has decided to close its downtown Great Falls store.
- **More than 100 employees** are being hired to work at Tidyman's new \$5 million grocery store in Kalispell. A spokesman says the company is "committed to opening before the end of May."
- **A national toy discount chain** says it plans to open a Toys R Us store in Billings this fall.

#### **Finance, Insurance & Real Estate**

- **An Anaconda bank** has closed—and reopened the next day under new ownership. First Security Bank of Anaconda was closed because it did not have capital equal to at least 7 1/2 percent of total assets, according to the state commissioner of financial institutions. The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. negotiated the sale of the bank to the Bank of Montana Systems, which is headquartered in Great Falls. The FDIC also retained First Security's non-performing loans, and is consequently trying to sell Fairmont Vacation Homes between Butte and Anaconda.

#### **Services**

- **Columbus Hospital** has laid off 29 employees—most of them registered nurses. Thirty other jobs are going to be cut through attrition, according to officials, who blamed the cutbacks on declining numbers of overnight patients at the Great Falls hospital.
- **Blue Cross-Blue Shield** is moving all its customer-service jobs to Helena by the end of the year. Sixteen jobs will be eliminated at its Great Falls office, while 15 are added at its Helena office. A spokesman says affected employees will have the option of transferring to Helena or moving into other jobs at the Great Falls office.
- **"Nobody's Sweetheart"** was filmed in the Bitterroot Valley during December and January.



## Benchmarking

Data included in this publication reflects the current benchmarks for the **Non-agricultural Wage & Salary Employment** series and the **Labor Force** series. The annual tables at the back of this publication also reflect these benchmarks.

A benchmark is a point of reference from which measurement can be made, or upon which adjustments are based. The 2 series mentioned above are estimated differently:

(1) **Non-agricultural wage-and-salary** employment is estimated from a carefully-constructed sample survey of firms of different sizes within each industrial classification. Some error is inherent with any sample survey, however, because only a selected number of firms is surveyed. This limitation is the primary reason for benchmarking this series.

In periods of expansion, employment levels tend to be underestimated — and, in periods of decline, employment levels tend to be overestimated. This is primarily due to new firm “births” and “deaths” — meaning newly-created businesses and those that have gone out of business.

The benchmarking process for non-agricultural wage-and-salary employment examines only the preceding 2 years of data. It corrects any errors in adjusting for new firms — and it also adjusts for improvements in the quality of data and any updating of industrial classifications.

(2) **Labor force** data is derived from a monthly sample of households conducted by the Bureau of Census for the U.S. Department of Labor. Known as the Current Population Survey (CPS), this data is designed to be statistically significant on a monthly basis for the nation. States with small populations, however, do not have a large enough sample to ensure reliability on a monthly basis. This is the main reason for benchmarking the labor force series in Montana.

The labor force series also includes the benchmarked non-agricultural wage-and-salary employment by industry in its benchmarking process. Revisions to the labor force series is normally limited to the preceding 3 years. Occasionally, a longer benchmark is warranted. For instance, the labor force series is normally revised for the previous 6 years after a Census is done.

### Prevailing Wage Rates Established for Alien Certification

| Occupation               | DOT Code*   | Wage Rate                                | Date Set | Area       |
|--------------------------|-------------|--|----------|------------|
| Computer Programmer      | 020.187-010 | \$ 9.34 per Hour                         | 1/10/92  | Region 5** |
| Photogrammetrist         | 018.261-026 | \$ 8.04 per Hour                         | 2/04/92  | Statewide  |
| Assistant Professor      | 090.227-010 | \$ 29,463.60<br>Per Academic Year        | 2/13/92  | Bozeman    |
| Perfusionist             | 078.362-034 | \$ 16.85 per Hour                        | 3/26/92  | Statewide  |
| Shepherdherd             | 410.687-022 | \$ 600.00 per Month<br>Plus Room & Board | 3/27/92  | Statewide  |
| Registered Nurse, Clinic | 075.374-014 | \$ 15.32 per Hour                        | 3/27/92  | Region 8** |
| Registered Nurse, Clinic | 075.374-014 | \$ 15.56 per Hour                        | 3/27/92  | Region 5** |
| Microbiologist           | 041.061-058 | \$ 10.42 per Hour                        | 4/04/92  | Statewide  |

\* U.S. Department of Labor *Dictionary of Occupational Titles* job description code number.

\*\* See map on page 9 for state wage information regions.

TABLE I-A  
MONTANA MONTHLY LABOR FORCE BY COUNTY  
LABOR FORCE STATISTICS

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MARCH 1992 (P)

| COUNTY        | CIVILIAN<br>LABOR FORCE | EMPLOY-<br>MENT | UNEMPLOY-<br>MENT | PERCENT<br>RATE |
|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| MONTANA       | 412,383                 | 382,142         | 30,241            | 7.3%            |
| YELLOWSTONE   | 66,702                  | 63,163          | 3,539             | 5.3%            |
| CASCADE       | 40,153                  | 37,780          | 2,373             | 5.9%            |
| BEAVERHEAD    | 4,342                   | 4,130           | 212               | 4.9%            |
| BIG HORN      | 4,434                   | 3,666           | 768               | 17.3%           |
| BLAINE        | 2,719                   | 2,467           | 252               | 9.3%            |
| BROADWATER    | 1,360                   | 1,233           | 127               | 9.3%            |
| CARBON        | 4,136                   | 3,898           | 238               | 5.8%            |
| CARTER        | 833                     | 809             | 24                | 2.9%            |
| CHOUTEAU      | 2,524                   | 2,413           | 111               | 4.4%            |
| CUSTER        | 5,896                   | 5,546           | 350               | 5.9%            |
| DANIELS       | 1,156                   | 1,111           | 45                | 3.9%            |
| DAWSON        | 5,007                   | 4,773           | 234               | 4.7%            |
| DEER LODGE    | 4,291                   | 3,902           | 389               | 9.1%            |
| FALLON        | 1,376                   | 1,300           | 76                | 5.5%            |
| FERGUS        | 5,952                   | 5,498           | 454               | 7.6%            |
| FLATHEAD      | 32,177                  | 28,851          | 3,326             | 10.3%           |
| GALLATIN      | 29,369                  | 28,222          | 1,147             | 3.9%            |
| GARFIELD      | 838                     | 805             | 33                | 3.9%            |
| GLACIER       | 4,601                   | 3,797           | 804               | 17.5%           |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | 525                     | 485             | 40                | 7.6%            |
| GRANITE       | 1,291                   | 1,149           | 142               | 11.0%           |
| HILL          | 7,751                   | 7,177           | 574               | 7.4%            |
| JEFFERSON     | 5,692                   | 5,447           | 245               | 4.3%            |
| JUDITH BASIN  | 1,280                   | 1,189           | 91                | 7.1%            |
| LAKE          | 10,619                  | 9,622           | 997               | 9.4%            |
| LEWIS & CLARK | 26,244                  | 24,853          | 1,391             | 5.3%            |
| LIBERTY       | 781                     | 752             | 29                | 3.7%            |
| LINCOLN       | 8,729                   | 7,060           | 1,669             | 19.1%           |
| MCCONE        | 1,069                   | 1,013           | 56                | 5.2%            |
| MADISON       | 2,959                   | 2,723           | 236               | 8.0%            |
| MEAGHER       | 988                     | 917             | 71                | 7.2%            |
| MINERAL       | 1,372                   | 1,140           | 232               | 16.9%           |
| MISSOULA      | 43,505                  | 40,756          | 2,749             | 6.3%            |
| MUSSELSHELL   | 1,739                   | 1,545           | 194               | 11.2%           |
| PARK          | 6,385                   | 5,702           | 683               | 10.7%           |
| PETROLEUM     | 278                     | 245             | 33                | 11.9%           |
| PHILLIPS      | 2,804                   | 2,590           | 214               | 7.6%            |
| PONDERA       | 2,856                   | 2,653           | 203               | 7.1%            |
| POWDER RIVER  | 1,134                   | 1,074           | 60                | 5.3%            |
| POWELL        | 2,909                   | 2,682           | 227               | 7.8%            |
| PRAIRIE       | 651                     | 591             | 60                | 9.2%            |
| RAVALLI       | 12,491                  | 11,102          | 1,389             | 11.1%           |
| RICHLAND      | 5,325                   | 4,838           | 487               | 9.1%            |
| ROOSEVELT     | 5,025                   | 4,560           | 465               | 9.3%            |
| ROSEBUD       | 4,692                   | 4,258           | 434               | 9.2%            |
| SANDERS       | 3,167                   | 2,579           | 588               | 18.6%           |
| SHERIDAN      | 2,216                   | 2,147           | 69                | 3.1%            |
| SILVER BOW    | 14,195                  | 13,042          | 1,153             | 8.1%            |
| STILLWATER    | 3,374                   | 3,152           | 222               | 6.6%            |
| SWEET GRASS   | 1,402                   | 1,337           | 65                | 4.6%            |
| TETON         | 2,720                   | 2,604           | 116               | 4.3%            |
| TOOLE         | 2,157                   | 2,012           | 145               | 6.7%            |
| TREASURE      | 495                     | 450             | 45                | 9.1%            |
| VALLEY        | 4,165                   | 3,902           | 263               | 6.3%            |
| WHEATLAND     | 943                     | 894             | 49                | 5.2%            |
| WIBAUX        | 594                     | 541             | 53                | 8.9%            |

**TABLE I-B**  
**MONTANA MONTHLY LABOR FORCE BY COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE STATISTICS**

92BM  
 FEBRUARY 1992 (R)

| COUNTY        | CIVILIAN<br>LABOR FORCE | EMPLOY-<br>MENT | UNEMPLOY-<br>MENT | PERCENT<br>RATE |
|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| MONTANA       | 410,468                 | 376,354         | 34,114            | 8.3%            |
| YELLOWSTONE   | 66,671                  | 62,725          | 3,946             | 5.9%            |
| CASCADE       | 40,090                  | 37,211          | 2,879             | 7.2%            |
| BEAVERHEAD    | 4,295                   | 3,981           | 314               | 7.3%            |
| BIG HORN      | 4,353                   | 3,527           | 826               | 19.0%           |
| BLAINE        | 2,666                   | 2,373           | 293               | 11.0%           |
| BROADWATER    | 1,326                   | 1,223           | 103               | 7.8%            |
| CARBON        | 4,102                   | 3,842           | 260               | 6.3%            |
| CARTER        | 751                     | 722             | 29                | 3.9%            |
| CHOUTEAU      | 2,454                   | 2,335           | 119               | 4.8%            |
| CUSTER        | 5,871                   | 5,529           | 342               | 5.8%            |
| DANIELS       | 1,110                   | 1,047           | 63                | 5.7%            |
| DAWSON        | 4,922                   | 4,626           | 296               | 6.0%            |
| DEER LODGE    | 4,367                   | 3,862           | 505               | 11.6%           |
| FALLON        | 1,339                   | 1,257           | 82                | 6.1%            |
| FERGUS        | 5,992                   | 5,451           | 541               | 9.0%            |
| FLATHEAD      | 32,014                  | 28,541          | 3,473             | 10.8%           |
| GALLATIN      | 29,302                  | 27,988          | 1,314             | 4.5%            |
| GARFIELD      | 796                     | 771             | 25                | 3.1%            |
| GLACIER       | 4,544                   | 3,718           | 826               | 18.2%           |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | 475                     | 423             | 52                | 10.9%           |
| GRANITE       | 1,294                   | 1,165           | 119               | 9.3%            |
| HILL          | 7,743                   | 7,118           | 625               | 8.1%            |
| JEFFERSON     | 5,736                   | 5,449           | 287               | 5.0%            |
| JUDITH BASIN  | 1,193                   | 1,105           | 88                | 7.4%            |
| LAKE          | 10,648                  | 9,433           | 1,215             | 11.4%           |
| LEWIS & CLARK | 26,233                  | 24,418          | 1,815             | 6.9%            |
| LIBERTY       | 750                     | 695             | 55                | 7.3%            |
| LINCOLN       | 8,893                   | 7,273           | 1,620             | 18.2%           |
| MCCONE        | 1,009                   | 959             | 50                | 5.0%            |
| MADISON       | 2,855                   | 2,618           | 237               | 8.3%            |
| MEAGHER       | 934                     | 844             | 90                | 9.6%            |
| MINERAL       | 1,347                   | 1,108           | 239               | 17.7%           |
| MISSOULA      | 43,478                  | 40,073          | 3,405             | 7.8%            |
| MUSSELSHELL   | 1,693                   | 1,494           | 199               | 11.8%           |
| PARK          | 6,387                   | 5,666           | 721               | 11.3%           |
| PETROLEUM     | 244                     | 211             | 33                | 13.5%           |
| PHILLIPS      | 2,709                   | 2,501           | 208               | 7.7%            |
| PONDERA       | 2,810                   | 2,535           | 275               | 9.8%            |
| POWDER RIVER  | 1,057                   | 1,002           | 55                | 5.2%            |
| POWELL        | 2,869                   | 2,630           | 239               | 8.3%            |
| PRAIRIE       | 611                     | 550             | 61                | 10.0%           |
| RAVALLI       | 12,520                  | 10,879          | 1,641             | 13.1%           |
| RICHLAND      | 5,258                   | 4,874           | 384               | 7.3%            |
| ROOSEVELT     | 5,038                   | 4,501           | 537               | 10.7%           |
| ROSEBUD       | 4,734                   | 4,325           | 409               | 8.6%            |
| SANDERS       | 3,177                   | 2,557           | 620               | 19.5%           |
| SHERIDAN      | 2,116                   | 2,039           | 77                | 3.6%            |
| SILVER BOW    | 14,301                  | 12,867          | 1,434             | 10.0%           |
| STILLWATER    | 3,343                   | 3,104           | 239               | 7.1%            |
| SWEET GRASS   | 1,344                   | 1,273           | 71                | 5.3%            |
| TETON         | 2,592                   | 2,454           | 138               | 5.3%            |
| TOOLE         | 2,093                   | 1,940           | 153               | 7.3%            |
| TREASURE      | 447                     | 405             | 42                | 9.4%            |
| VALLEY        | 4,147                   | 3,810           | 337               | 8.1%            |
| WHEATLAND     | 852                     | 802             | 50                | 5.9%            |
| WIBAUX        | 579                     | 522             | 57                | 9.8%            |

SOURCE FOR DATA: SEE TECHNICAL NOTE S-1 ON FINAL PAGE

**TABLE I-C**  
**MONTANA MONTHLY LABOR FORCE BY COUNTY**  
**LABOR FORCE STATISTICS**

92BM  
 JANUARY 1992(R)

| COUNTY        | CIVILIAN<br>LABOR FORCE | EMPLOY-<br>MENT | UNEMPLOY-<br>MENT | PERCENT<br>RATE |
|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| MONTANA       | 407,489                 | 369,942         | 37,547            | 9.2%            |
| YELLOWSTONE   | 66,321                  | 61,815          | 4,506             | 6.8%            |
| CASCADE       | 39,640                  | 36,525          | 3,115             | 7.9%            |
| BEAVERHEAD    | 4,240                   | 3,884           | 356               | 8.4%            |
| BIG HORN      | 4,330                   | 3,457           | 873               | 20.2%           |
| BLAINE        | 2,649                   | 2,347           | 302               | 11.4%           |
| BROADWATER    | 1,331                   | 1,174           | 157               | 11.8%           |
| CARBON        | 3,915                   | 3,636           | 279               | 7.1%            |
| CARTER        | 714                     | 683             | 31                | 4.3%            |
| CHOUTEAU      | 2,375                   | 2,228           | 147               | 6.2%            |
| CUSTER        | 5,867                   | 5,422           | 445               | 7.6%            |
| DANIELS       | 1,066                   | 1,027           | 39                | 3.7%            |
| DAWSON        | 4,796                   | 4,496           | 300               | 6.3%            |
| DEER LODGE    | 4,265                   | 3,762           | 503               | 11.8%           |
| FALLON        | 1,295                   | 1,204           | 91                | 7.0%            |
| FERGUS        | 5,996                   | 5,290           | 706               | 11.8%           |
| FLATHEAD      | 31,788                  | 27,969          | 3,819             | 12.0%           |
| GALLATIN      | 28,994                  | 27,630          | 1,364             | 4.7%            |
| GARFIELD      | 696                     | 667             | 29                | 4.2%            |
| GLACIER       | 4,651                   | 3,811           | 840               | 18.1%           |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | 458                     | 398             | 60                | 13.1%           |
| GRANITE       | 1,249                   | 1,108           | 141               | 11.3%           |
| HILL          | 7,738                   | 7,043           | 695               | 9.0%            |
| JEFFERSON     | 5,683                   | 5,306           | 377               | 6.6%            |
| JUDITH BASIN  | 1,170                   | 1,056           | 114               | 9.7%            |
| LAKE          | 10,606                  | 9,302           | 1,304             | 12.3%           |
| LEWIS & CLARK | 26,266                  | 24,225          | 2,041             | 7.8%            |
| LIBERTY       | 682                     | 647             | 35                | 5.1%            |
| LINCOLN       | 8,721                   | 7,272           | 1,449             | 16.6%           |
| MCCONE        | 1,007                   | 897             | 110               | 10.9%           |
| MADISON       | 2,852                   | 2,546           | 306               | 10.7%           |
| MEAGHER       | 945                     | 810             | 135               | 14.3%           |
| MINERAL       | 1,376                   | 1,146           | 230               | 16.7%           |
| MISSOULA      | 43,302                  | 39,639          | 3,663             | 8.5%            |
| MUSSELSHELL   | 1,698                   | 1,466           | 232               | 13.7%           |
| PARK          | 6,347                   | 5,503           | 844               | 13.3%           |
| PETROLEUM     | 241                     | 216             | 25                | 10.4%           |
| PHILLIPS      | 2,682                   | 2,498           | 184               | 6.9%            |
| PONDERA       | 2,728                   | 2,471           | 257               | 9.4%            |
| POWDER RIVER  | 1,032                   | 980             | 52                | 5.0%            |
| POWELL        | 2,853                   | 2,623           | 230               | 8.1%            |
| PRAIRIE       | 602                     | 538             | 64                | 10.6%           |
| RAVALLI       | 12,518                  | 10,624          | 1,894             | 15.1%           |
| RICHLAND      | 5,216                   | 4,781           | 435               | 8.3%            |
| ROOSEVELT     | 5,004                   | 4,395           | 609               | 12.2%           |
| ROSEBUD       | 4,768                   | 4,284           | 484               | 10.2%           |
| SANDERS       | 3,160                   | 2,504           | 656               | 20.8%           |
| SHERIDAN      | 2,079                   | 2,000           | 79                | 3.8%            |
| SILVER BOW    | 14,266                  | 12,633          | 1,633             | 11.4%           |
| STILLWATER    | 3,470                   | 3,139           | 331               | 9.5%            |
| SWEET GRASS   | 1,313                   | 1,230           | 83                | 6.3%            |
| TETON         | 2,585                   | 2,381           | 184               | 7.2%            |
| TOOLE         | 2,093                   | 1,896           | 197               | 9.4%            |
| TREASURE      | 436                     | 382             | 54                | 12.4%           |
| VALLEY        | 4,057                   | 3,724           | 333               | 8.2%            |
| WHEATLAND     | 879                     | 821             | 58                | 6.6%            |
| WIBAUX        | 496                     | 428             | 68                | 13.7%           |

SOURCE FOR DATA: SEE TECHNICAL NOTE S-1 ON FINAL PAGE

**TABLE II**  
**MONTANA CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY STATISTICS**  
**(IN THOUSANDS)**

| 1992 DATA                        | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE             | 407.5 | 410.5 | 412.3 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| EMPLOYED PERSONS                 | 369.9 | 378.4 | 382.1 |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| LABOR MANAGEMENT DISPUTE         | 0     | 0     | 0     |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| PERSONS EMPLOYED IN AGRICULTURE  | 25.9  | 27.5  | 32.4  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| UNEMPLOYED PERSONS               | 37.5  | 34.1  | 30.2  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, UNADJUSTED     | 9.2%  | 8.3%  | 7.3%  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, SEASONALLY ADJ | 8.3%  | 7.3%  | 6.3%  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| U.S. UNADJUSTED                  | 8.0%  | 8.1%  | 7.7%  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| U.S. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED         | 7.1%  | 7.3%  | 7.3%  |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |       |
| 1991 ANNUAL DATA                 | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
| CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE             | 398.2 | 400.0 | 403.2 | 402.4 | 402.5 | 408.0 | 408.2 | 408.0 | 400.5 | 397.9 | 401.6 | 405.5 | 403.0 |
| EMPLOYED PERSONS                 | 368.1 | 369.1 | 369.1 | 375.9 | 376.7 | 381.4 | 382.4 | 383.9 | 375.7 | 371.5 | 370.5 | 375.6 | 375.0 |
| LABOR MANAGEMENT DISPUTE         | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | *0    |
| PERSONS EMPLOYED IN AGRICULTURE  | 25.1  | 23.8  | 28.3  | 31.8  | 31.6  | 37.0  | 38.4  | 38.1  | 34.1  | 35.3  | 28.2  | 25.5  | 31.3  |
| UNEMPLOYED PERSONS               | 30.1  | 30.9  | 34.1  | 26.5  | 25.8  | 26.6  | 26.8  | 24.1  | 24.8  | 26.4  | 31.1  | 29.9  | 28.0  |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, UNADJUSTED     | 7.6%  | 7.7%  | 8.5%  | 6.6%  | 6.4%  | 6.5%  | 6.3%  | 5.9%  | 6.2%  | 6.6%  | 7.7%  | 7.4%  | 6.9%  |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, SEASONALLY ADJ | 6.6%  | 6.7%  | 7.3%  | 6.7%  | 6.7%  | 6.8%  | 7.0%  | 7.1%  | 7.0%  | 7.1%  | 7.4%  | 7.2%  | 6.9%  |
| U.S. UNADJUSTED                  | 7.0%  | 7.2%  | 7.1%  | 6.5%  | 6.6%  | 6.9%  | 6.7%  | 6.5%  | 6.4%  | 6.4%  | 6.6%  | 6.8%  | 6.7%  |
| U.S. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED         | 6.2%  | 6.5%  | 6.7%  | 6.6%  | 6.8%  | 6.9%  | 6.8%  | 6.8%  | 6.8%  | 6.9%  | 6.9%  | 7.1%  | 6.7%  |
| 1990 ANNUAL DATA                 | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
| CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE             | 400.8 | 404.4 | 406.0 | 404.7 | 403.1 | 407.9 | 405.7 | 404.5 | 394.8 | 396.6 | 397.3 | 398.4 | 402.0 |
| EMPLOYED PERSONS                 | 377.1 | 380.7 | 383.0 | 383.4 | 381.7 | 386.2 | 385.5 | 386.0 | 371.7 | 371.7 | 370.2 | 370.9 | 379.0 |
| LABOR MANAGEMENT DISPUTE         | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    | *0    |
| PERSONS EMPLOYED IN AGRICULTURE  | 28.0  | 24.4  | 27.8  | 29.8  | 34.1  | 34.1  | 36.8  | 38.8  | 31.8  | 33.8  | 29.2  | 27.2  | 31.3  |
| UNEMPLOYED PERSONS               | 23.7  | 23.7  | 23.0  | 21.3  | 21.4  | 21.7  | 20.2  | 18.5  | 23.1  | 24.9  | 27.1  | 27.5  | 23.0  |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, UNADJUSTED     | 5.9%  | 5.9%  | 5.7%  | 5.3%  | 5.3%  | 5.3%  | 5.0%  | 4.6%  | 5.8%  | 6.3%  | 6.8%  | 6.8%  | 5.8%  |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, SEASONALLY ADJ | 4.6%  | 4.8%  | 4.6%  | 5.3%  | 5.6%  | 5.6%  | 5.6%  | 5.7%  | 6.7%  | 6.7%  | 6.5%  | 6.7%  | 5.8%  |
| U.S. UNADJUSTED                  | 5.6%  | 5.8%  | 5.4%  | 5.2%  | 5.1%  | 5.3%  | 5.5%  | 5.4%  | 5.5%  | 5.4%  | 5.8%  | 5.9%  | 5.5%  |
| U.S. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED         | 5.3%  | 5.3%  | 5.2%  | 5.4%  | 5.3%  | 5.2%  | 5.4%  | 5.6%  | 5.7%  | 5.8%  | 6.0%  | 6.1%  | 5.5%  |
| 1989 ANNUAL DATA                 | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
| CIVILIAN LABOR FORCE             | 397.5 | 399.5 | 397.2 | 401.1 | 404.2 | 412.3 | 415.0 | 419.3 | 406.0 | 403.9 | 402.0 | 405.0 | 405.0 |
| LABOR MANAGEMENT DISPUTE         | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0.1   | *0    | *0    | *0    | 0.7   | 0     | 0     | 0     | 0.1   |
| EMPLOYED PERSONS                 | 367.9 | 368.9 | 366.9 | 377.7 | 382.1 | 386.6 | 393.5 | 396.4 | 380.3 | 383.2 | 378.5 | 384.0 | 381.0 |
| PERSONS EMPLOYED IN AGRICULTURE  | 25.0  | 29.4  | 29.0  | 38.3  | 40.6  | 40.9  | 39.9  | 38.1  | 32.1  | 35.1  | 29.9  | 28.4  | 33.9  |
| UNEMPLOYED PERSONS               | 29.6  | 30.8  | 30.3  | 23.4  | 22.1  | 25.7  | 21.5  | 19.9  | 19.7  | 20.7  | 23.5  | 21.0  | 24.0  |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, UNADJUSTED     | 7.5%  | 7.7%  | 7.6%  | 5.8%  | 5.5%  | 6.2%  | 5.2%  | 4.8%  | 4.8%  | 5.1%  | 5.9%  | 5.2%  | 5.9%  |
| % OF LABOR FORCE, SEASONALLY ADJ | 6.4%  | 6.6%  | 6.5%  | 5.9%  | 5.7%  | 6.5%  | 5.8%  | 5.9%  | 5.7%  | 6.0%  | 5.0%  | 5.0%  | 5.9%  |
| U.S. UNADJUSTED                  | 8.0%  | 8.0%  | 8.2%  | 5.1%  | 5.0%  | 5.5%  | 5.2%  | 5.1%  | 5.1%  | 5.0%  | 5.2%  | 5.1%  | 5.2%  |
| U.S. SEASONALLY ADJUSTED         | 5.4%  | 5.2%  | 5.0%  | 5.2%  | 5.2%  | 5.3%  | 5.3%  | 5.2%  | 5.3%  | 5.3%  | 5.4%  | 5.3%  | 5.2%  |

1/ESTIMATES BASED ON NATIONAL HOUSEHOLD SAMPLE, CENSUS AND OTHER RELATIONSHIPS; INCLUDES SELF-EMPLOYED, UNPAID FAMILY AND DOMESTIC WORKERS. CURRENT MONTH PRELIMINARY. REVISED TO 1992 BENCHMARKS.

2/NON-ADDITIVE-INCLUDED IN TOTAL EMPLOYMENT.

3/COMPUTED FROM WHOLE(UNROUNDED)NUMBERS. RESIDENCE SERIES BEGAN IN JANUARY 1970.

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SOURCE FOR RESIDENCE DATA: SEE TECHNICAL NOTES S-1 AND S-2 ON FINAL PAGE.

TABLE III  
M O N T A N A  
STATEWIDE EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY  
(IN THOUSANDS)

1992

|                              | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC | AVG |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| (ESTABLISHMENT DATA) 1991    |       |       |       |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS  | 297.0 | 297.8 | 299.3 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL PRIVATE                | 226.5 | 226.0 | 227.4 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| GOODS PRODUCING              | 36.8  | 36.5  | 36.3  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| SERVICE PRODUCING            | 260.2 | 261.3 | 263.0 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING    | 189.7 | 189.5 | 191.1 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MINING                       | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| METAL MINING                 | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| GOLD & SILVER ORES           | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| COAL MINING                  | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| OIL & GAS EXTRACTION         | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| NONMETALLIC MINERALS         | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| CONSTRUCTION                 | 9.5   | 9.3   | 9.5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.8   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT. | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS    | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.4   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MANUFACTURING                | 21.6  | 21.4  | 21.0  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| DURABLE GOODS                | 13.2  | 13.0  | 12.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS       | 7.3   | 7.2   | 6.9   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| LOGGING                      | 1.3   | 1.3   | 0.9   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| SAWMILLS & PLANING           | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.2   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS         | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES     | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| NONDURABLE GOODS             | 8.4   | 8.4   | 8.2   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS      | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.4   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PRINTING & PUBLISHING        | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TRANS. COMM. & UTILITIES     | 20.0  | 20.0  | 20.0  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TRANSPORTATION               | 12.3  | 12.3  | 12.3  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| RAILROAD                     | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| LOCAL & INTERURBAN           | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE         | 6.0   | 6.0   | 6.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| COMMUNICATIONS & UTILS       | 7.7   | 7.7   | 7.7   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| COMMUNICATIONS               | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.4   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TELEPHONE COMM.              | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY      | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| COMBINATION UTILITY          | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TRADE                        | 79.6  | 78.9  | 79.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| WHOLESALE TRADE              | 15.7  | 15.7  | 15.9  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| WHOLESALE - DURABLES         | 7.9   | 8.0   | 8.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS        | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT         | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE       | 7.8   | 7.7   | 7.8   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| GROCERIES & RELATED          | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PETROLEUM, PETROL PRD        | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MISC NONDURABLE GOODS        | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| RETAIL TRADE                 | 63.9  | 63.2  | 63.9  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| BLDNG MATERIALS, GRDN SUPL   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.9   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| GENERAL MERCHANDISE          | 7.1   | 6.7   | 6.6   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| DEPARTMENT STORES            | 4.3   | 4.1   | 4.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FOOD STORES                  | 10.0  | 9.9   | 9.9   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS           | 8.4   | 8.3   | 8.5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| NEW, USED CAR DEALER         | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.3   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |

SOURCE FOR DATA: SEE TECHNICAL NOTE S-4 ON FINAL PAGE

\*ITEMS MARKED WITH AN \* ARE PRODUCED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY FOR USE AS STATE ECONOMIC INDICATORS

TABLE III  
MONTANA  
STATEWIDE EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY  
(IN THOUSANDS)

1992

|                           | JAN  | FEB  | MAR  | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC | AVG |
|---------------------------|------|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| (ESTABLISHMENT DATA) 1991 |      |      |      |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| GAS STATIONS              | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.6  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| APPAREL & ACCESSORY       | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FURN, HOMEFURN, EQUIP     | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.6  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| EATING & DRINKING         | 23.4 | 23.5 | 24.0 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MISC RETAIL               | 7.1  | 7.1  | 7.1  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| DRUG STORES               | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MISC SHOPPING GOODS       | 3.3  | 3.2  | 3.2  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FINANCE, INS, REAL EST.   | 13.9 | 13.7 | 13.7 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FINANCE                   | 7.6  | 7.6  | 7.5  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS   | 5.7  | 5.7  | 5.7  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| COMMERCIAL BANKS          | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.1  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| INSURANCE                 | 3.6  | 3.5  | 3.5  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| INSURANCE CARRIERS        | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| INSURANCE AGENTS          | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.0  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| REAL ESTATE               | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.7  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| SERVICES                  | 76.2 | 76.9 | 77.6 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| HOTELS & OTHR LODGING     | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.5  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| PERSONAL SERVICES         | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| BUSINESS SERVICES         | 6.4  | 6.5  | 6.7  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| AUTO & MISC REPAIR        | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| AMUSEMENT, INCL MOVIES    | 5.6  | 5.7  | 5.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| HEALTH SERVICES           | 26.6 | 26.8 | 27.1 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| NURSING & PRSNL CARE      | 3.9  | 4.0  | 4.0  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| HOSPITALS                 | 14.6 | 14.8 | 14.9 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| LEGAL SERVICES            | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| EDUCATIONAL SERVICES      | 2.5  | 2.7  | 2.7  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| SOCIAL SERVICES           | 7.5  | 7.5  | 7.6  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY       | 2.1  | 2.2  | 2.2  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| RESIDENTIAL CARE          | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION   | 6.7  | 6.7  | 6.6  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| ENGINEERING & MNGMENT     | 4.7  | 4.9  | 4.9  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| ENGINEER, ARCHITECTS      | 1.3  | 1.2  | 1.2  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| * ACCOUNTING, AUDITING    | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.4  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL GOVERNMENT          | 70.5 | 71.8 | 71.9 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL FEDERAL GOVT.       | 11.8 | 11.9 | 12.0 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL STATE GOVERNMENT    | 22.1 | 22.4 | 22.4 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| STATE EDUCATION           | 10.7 | 11.2 | 11.2 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| * OTHER STATE GOVT.       | 11.4 | 11.2 | 11.2 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT    | 36.6 | 37.5 | 37.5 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| LOCAL EDUCATION           | 23.9 | 24.8 | 24.8 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| * OTHER LOCAL GOVT.       | 12.7 | 12.8 | 12.7 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |

\* SEE FOOTNOTE ON PAGE 1 OF THIS TABLE

TABLE IV  
M O N T A N A  
STATEWIDE FEMALE EMPLOYMENT BY INDUSTRY  
(IN THOUSANDS)

1992

| (ESTABLISHMENT DATA) 1991   | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR | MAY | JUN | JUL | AUG | SEP | OCT | NOV | DEC | AVG |
|-----------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 146.6 | 147.5 | 148.3 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL PRIVATE               | 109.5 | 109.7 | 110.4 |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MINING                      | 0.6   | 0.7   | 0.7   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| CONSTRUCTION                | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| MANUFACTURING               | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.4   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| DURABLE GOODS               | 1.9   | 1.9   | 2.0   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| NONDURABLE GOODS            | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TCU 1/                      | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.2   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TRANSPORTATION              | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| COMMUNICATIONS & UTILS      | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TRADE                       | 38.0  | 37.7  | 37.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| WHOLESALE TRADE             | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.1   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| RETAIL TRADE                | 33.9  | 33.7  | 33.7  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| EATING & DRINKING           | 13.3  | 13.4  | 13.6  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FIRE 2/                     | 9.5   | 9.5   | 9.5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FINANCE                     | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.5   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| SERVICES                    | 50.9  | 51.3  | 51.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| HOTELS & OTHR LODGING       | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.7   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| HEALTH SERVICES             | 22.4  | 22.6  | 22.8  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| TOTAL GOVERNMENT            | 37.1  | 37.8  | 37.9  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| FEDERAL GOVERNMENT          | 4.7   | 4.8   | 4.8   |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| STATE GOVERNMENT            | 10.7  | 10.9  | 10.9  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
| LOCAL GOVERNMENT            | 21.7  | 22.1  | 22.2  |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |

1/ TRANSPORTATION/COMMUNICATION/UTILITIES

2/ FINANCE/INSURANCE/REAL ESTATE

FEMALE EMPLOYMENT IS PRODUCED BY THE MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY FOR USE AS A STATE ECONOMIC INDICATOR

SOURCE FOR DATA: SEE TECHNICAL NOTE S-5 ON FINAL PAGE

**TABLE V**  
**MONTANA HOURS & EARNINGS**  
 For Private Nonagricultural Production Workers

|                  | <u>Production Employment</u><br>(In Thousands) |       |       |       | <u>Average Weekly Earnings</u> |          |          |          |
|------------------|--|-------|-------|-------|--------------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
|                  | Mar.   | Feb.  | Jan.  | Mar.  | Mar.                           | Feb.     | Jan.     | Mar.     |
|                  | 1992   | 1992  | 1992  | 1991  | 1992                           | 1992     | 1992     | 1991     |
| *TOTAL PRIVATE   | 190.3  | 188.9 | 189.2 | 182.3 | \$308.48                       | \$313.96 | \$303.92 | \$294.18 |
| MINING           | 4.7  | 4.6   | 4.7   | 4.6   | \$606.62                       | \$595.79 | \$593.76 | \$585.06 |
| *CONSTRUCTION    | 7.2  | 7.1   | 7.3   | 6.0   | \$546.40                       | \$585.61 | \$571.69 | \$501.47 |
| MANUFACTURING    | 15.5   | 15.9  | 16.0  | 14.8  | \$462.52                       | \$466.41 | \$442.67 | \$437.34 |
| Durable Goods    | 10.6   | 10.8  | 10.9  | 9.7   | \$457.84                       | \$470.30 | \$437.63 | \$424.47 |
| Non-Durable      | 4.9  | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   | \$473.54                       | \$457.85 | \$454.35 | \$460.25 |
| *TCU 1/          | 17.7   | 17.8  | 17.7  | 17.7  | \$513.10                       | \$524.71 | \$509.75 | \$489.44 |
| *Transportation  | 10.9   | 11.0  | 10.9  | 11.1  | \$507.05                       | \$510.68 | \$491.05 | \$470.81 |
| *Comm. & Util.   | 6.8  | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.6   | \$521.63                       | \$547.34 | \$540.54 | \$521.77 |
| *TRADE           | 69.9   | 69.1  | 69.9  | 68.5  | \$212.28                       | \$215.20 | \$207.20 | \$202.62 |
| *Wholesale Trade | 13.0   | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.9  | \$350.39                       | \$351.59 | \$342.84 | \$335.45 |
| *Retail Trade    | 56.9   | 56.3  | 57.1  | 55.6  | \$180.95                       | \$184.31 | \$177.69 | \$172.36 |
| *FIRE 2/         | 10.8   | 10.8  | 10.9  | 10.4  | \$329.93                       | \$335.25 | \$316.75 | \$313.82 |
| *SERVICES        | 64.5   | 63.6  | 62.7  | 60.3  | \$267.85                       | \$271.12 | \$264.33 | \$257.18 |

|                  | <u>Average Weekly Hours</u> |      |      |      | <u>Average Hourly Earnings</u> |         |         |         |
|------------------|-----------------------------|------|------|------|--------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|
|                  | Mar.                        | Feb. | Jan. | Mar. | Mar.                           | Feb.    | Jan.    | Mar.    |
|                  | 1992                        | 1992 | 1992 | 1991 | 1992                           | 1992    | 1992    | 1991    |
| *TOTAL PRIVATE   | 32.0                        | 32.3 | 31.3 | 31.7 | \$9.64                         | \$9.72  | \$9.71  | \$9.28  |
| MINING           | 39.7                        | 39.3 | 39.4 | 38.9 | \$15.28                        | \$15.16 | \$15.07 | \$15.04 |
| *CONSTRUCTION    | 35.9                        | 37.3 | 36.6 | 34.3 | \$15.22                        | \$15.70 | \$15.62 | \$14.62 |
| MANUFACTURING    | 38.9                        | 38.9 | 37.9 | 38.6 | \$11.89                        | \$11.99 | \$11.68 | \$11.33 |
| Durable Goods    | 38.8                        | 38.9 | 37.5 | 38.8 | \$11.80                        | \$12.09 | \$11.67 | \$10.94 |
| Non-Durable      | 39.2                        | 38.9 | 38.9 | 38.1 | \$12.08                        | \$11.77 | \$11.68 | \$12.08 |
| *TCU 1/          | 37.7                        | 38.3 | 37.1 | 36.8 | \$13.61                        | \$13.70 | \$13.74 | \$13.30 |
| *Transportation  | 38.5                        | 38.6 | 36.7 | 36.3 | \$13.17                        | \$13.23 | \$13.38 | \$12.97 |
| *Comm. & Util.   | 36.3                        | 37.8 | 37.8 | 37.7 | \$14.37                        | \$14.48 | \$14.30 | \$13.84 |
| *TRADE           | 29.0                        | 29.2 | 28.0 | 28.7 | \$7.32                         | \$7.37  | \$7.40  | \$7.06  |
| *Wholesale Trade | 35.5                        | 35.3 | 34.7 | 35.8 | \$9.87                         | \$9.96  | \$9.88  | \$9.37  |
| *Retail Trade    | 27.5                        | 27.8 | 26.6 | 27.1 | \$6.58                         | \$6.63  | \$6.68  | \$6.36  |
| *FIRE 2/         | 36.7                        | 36.8 | 35.0 | 34.6 | \$8.99                         | \$9.11  | \$9.05  | \$9.07  |
| *SERVICES        | 30.3                        | 30.6 | 29.8 | 30.4 | \$8.84                         | \$8.86  | \$8.87  | \$8.46  |

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2/ FINANCE/INSURANCE/REAL ESTATE

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PRODUCTION WORKERS ARE NON SUPERVISORY AND NON GOVERNMENT PAYROLL PERSONNEL.  
 SOURCE FOR DATA: SEE TECHNICAL NOTE S-4 ON FINAL PAGE

**TABLE VI**  
**THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX - U.S.**  
 NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

**ALL ITEMS**  
 (1982-1984 = 100)

|              | 1992  |       | 1991  |       | 1990  |       |
|--------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|              | CPI-U | CPI-W | CPI-U | CPI-W | CPI-U | CPI-W |
| January      | 138.1 | 136.0 | 134.6 | 132.8 | 127.4 | 125.9 |
| February     | 138.6 | 136.4 | 134.8 | 132.8 | 128.0 | 126.4 |
| March        | 139.3 | 137.0 | 135.0 | 133.0 | 128.7 | 127.1 |
| April        |       |       | 135.2 | 133.3 | 128.9 | 127.3 |
| May          |       |       | 135.6 | 133.8 | 129.2 | 127.5 |
| June         |       |       | 136.0 | 134.1 | 129.9 | 128.3 |
| July         |       |       | 136.2 | 134.3 | 130.4 | 128.7 |
| August       |       |       | 136.6 | 134.6 | 131.6 | 129.9 |
| September    |       |       | 137.2 | 135.2 | 132.7 | 131.1 |
| October      |       |       | 137.4 | 135.4 | 133.5 | 131.9 |
| November     |       |       | 137.8 | 135.8 | 133.8 | 132.2 |
| December     |       |       | 137.9 | 135.9 | 133.8 | 132.2 |
| Dec-to-Dec % |       |       | 3.1%  | 2.8%  | 6.1%  | 6.1%  |
| AVERAGE:     |       |       | 136.2 | 134.3 | 130.7 | 129.0 |
| Ann Avg %    |       |       | 4.2%  | 4.1%  | 5.4%  | 5.2%  |

| Expenditure Category   | Relative Importance | Mar. 1992 | Percent Change From |           | Ann Av % |      |
|------------------------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----------|----------|------|
|                        |                     |           | Feb. 1992           | Mar. 1991 | 1991     | 1990 |
| CPI-U Index            |                     |           |                     |           |          |      |
| ALL ITEMS              | 100%                | 139.3     | 0.5%                | 3.2%      | 4.2%     | 5.4% |
| Food & Beverages       | 18%                 | 138.8     | 0.5%                | 1.8%      | 3.6%     | 5.8% |
| Housing                | 42%                 | 136.6     | 0.4%                | 3.0%      | 4.0%     | 4.5% |
| Apparel & Upkeep       | 6%                  | 133.4     | 2.5%                | 3.6%      | 3.7%     | 4.6% |
| Transportation         | 18%                 | 124.4     | 0.2%                | 1.7%      | 2.7%     | 5.6% |
| Medical Care           | 6%                  | 187.3     | 0.6%                | 7.8%      | 8.7%     | 9.0% |
| Entertainment          | 4%                  | 141.2     | 0.4%                | 3.3%      | 4.5%     | 4.7% |
| Other Goods & Services | 6%                  | 179.8     | 0.2%                | 7.1%      | 7.9%     | 7.7% |

THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (CPI) IS A MEASURE OF THE AVERAGE CHANGE IN THE PRICES PAID BY URBAN CONSUMERS FOR A FIXED MARKET BASKET OF GOODS AND SERVICES. THE CPI IS CALCULATED MONTHLY FOR TWO POPULATION GROUPS, ONE CONSISTING ONLY OF THE URBAN HOUSEHOLDS WHOSE PRIMARY SOURCE OF INCOME IS DERIVED FROM THE EMPLOYMENT OF WAGE EARNERS AND CLERICAL WORKERS (CPI-W). AS NEW USES WERE DEVELOPED FOR THE CPI IN RECENT YEARS, THE NEED FOR A BROADER AND MORE REPRESENTATIVE INDEX BECAME APPARENT. THE ALL-URBAN CONSUMER INDEX (CPI-U), INTRODUCED IN 1978, IS REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 1982-84 BUYING HABITS OF ABOUT 80% OF THE NONINSTITUTIONAL POPULATION, COMPARED WITH 32% REPRESENTED IN CPI-W.

Table VII

## NEW BUSINESS FIRMS IN MONTANA

| AREAS                | Jan.<br>To<br>Mar. | Jan.<br>To<br>Mar. | Year-to-Date<br>1992 | Year-to-Date<br>1991 | AREAS               | Jan.<br>To<br>Mar. | Jan.<br>To<br>Mar. | Year-to-Date<br>1992 | Year-to-Date<br>1991 |
|----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| STATE OF MONTANA     | 839                | 693                | 839                  | 693                  | HAVRE LFA           | 20                 | 19                 | 20                   | 19                   |
| GREAT FALLS MSA      | 51                 | 51                 | 51                   | 51                   | BLAINE              | 7                  | 5                  | 7                    | 5                    |
| BILLINGS MSA         | 120                | 102                | 120                  | 102                  | HILL                | 11                 | 13                 | 11                   | 13                   |
|                      |                    |                    |                      |                      | LIBERTY             | 2                  | 1                  | 2                    | 1                    |
| MULTI COUNTY BUSINES | 61                 | 61                 | 61                   | 61                   | HELENA LFA          | 58                 | 30                 | 58                   | 30                   |
| ANACONDA-BUTTE LFA   | 45                 | 39                 | 45                   | 39                   | BROADWATER          | 4                  | 0                  | 4                    | 0                    |
| BEAVERHEAD           | 12                 | 11                 | 12                   | 11                   | JEFFERSON           | 4                  | 4                  | 4                    | 4                    |
| DEER LODGE           | 6                  | 6                  | 6                    | 6                    | LEWIS & CLARK       | 50                 | 26                 | 50                   | 26                   |
| GRANITE              | 3                  | 0                  | 3                    | 0                    | KALISPELL LFA       | 109                | 90                 | 109                  | 90                   |
| MADISON              | 5                  | 6                  | 5                    | 6                    | FLATHEAD            | 80                 | 58                 | 80                   | 58                   |
| POWELL               | 2                  | 2                  | 2                    | 2                    | LAKE                | 17                 | 20                 | 17                   | 20                   |
| SILVER BOW           | 17                 | 14                 | 17                   | 14                   | LINCOLN             | 12                 | 12                 | 12                   | 12                   |
| BOZEMAN LFA          | 93                 | 69                 | 93                   | 69                   | LEWISTOWN LFA       | 20                 | 20                 | 20                   | 20                   |
| GALLATIN             | 74                 | 54                 | 74                   | 54                   | FERGUS              | 11                 | 10                 | 11                   | 10                   |
| MEAGHER              | 4                  | 3                  | 4                    | 3                    | GOLDEN VALLEY       | 1                  | 1                  | 1                    | 1                    |
| PARK                 | 15                 | 12                 | 15                   | 12                   | JUDITH BASIN        | 2                  | 4                  | 2                    | 4                    |
|                      |                    |                    |                      |                      | MUSSELSHELL         | 4                  | 3                  | 4                    | 3                    |
| GLASGOW LFA          | 24                 | 20                 | 24                   | 20                   | PETROLEUM           | 1                  | 1                  | 1                    | 1                    |
| DANIELS              | 3                  | 3                  | 3                    | 3                    | WHEATLAND           | 1                  | 1                  | 1                    | 1                    |
| PHILLIPS             | 3                  | 3                  | 3                    | 3                    | MILES CITY LFA      | 16                 | 13                 | 16                   | 13                   |
| ROOSEVELT            | 4                  | 6                  | 4                    | 6                    | CARTER              | 1                  | 2                  | 1                    | 2                    |
| SHERIDAN             | 6                  | 3                  | 6                    | 3                    | CUSTER              | 5                  | 7                  | 5                    | 7                    |
| VALLEY               | 8                  | 5                  | 8                    | 5                    | FALLON              | 4                  | 3                  | 4                    | 3                    |
|                      |                    |                    |                      |                      | POWDER RIVER        | 1                  | 0                  | 1                    | 0                    |
| GLENDIVE LFA         | 26                 | 14                 | 26                   | 14                   | ROSEBUD             | 4                  | 0                  | 4                    | 0                    |
| DAWSON               | 7                  | 3                  | 7                    | 3                    | TREASURE            | 1                  | 1                  | 1                    | 1                    |
| GARFIELD             | 2                  | 1                  | 2                    | 1                    | MISSOULA LFA        | 151                | 121                | 151                  | 121                  |
| MCCONE               | 1                  | 0                  | 1                    | 0                    | MINERAL             | 6                  | 2                  | 6                    | 2                    |
| PRAIRIE              | 1                  | 0                  | 1                    | 0                    | MISSOULA            | 97                 | 83                 | 97                   | 83                   |
| RICHLAND             | 15                 | 9                  | 15                   | 9                    | RAVALI              | 42                 | 31                 | 42                   | 31                   |
| WIBAUX               | 0                  | 1                  | 0                    | 1                    | SANDERS             | 6                  | 5                  | 6                    | 5                    |
|                      |                    |                    |                      |                      | SHELBY-CUT BANK LFA | 26                 | 25                 | 26                   | 25                   |
| HARDIN-RED LODGE LFA | 19                 | 19                 | 19                   | 19                   | CHOUTEAU            | 7                  | 3                  | 7                    | 3                    |
| BIG HORN             | 9                  | 4                  | 9                    | 4                    | GLACIER             | 9                  | 6                  | 9                    | 6                    |
| CARBON               | 3                  | 9                  | 3                    | 9                    | PONDERA             | 3                  | 4                  | 3                    | 4                    |
| STILLWATER           | 3                  | 2                  | 3                    | 2                    | TETON               | 2                  | 7                  | 2                    | 7                    |
| SWEET GRASS          | 4                  | 4                  | 4                    | 4                    | TOOLE               | 5                  | 5                  | 5                    | 5                    |

THE NEW BUSINESS TALLY INCLUDES SUCCESSORS TO ACTIVE ACCOUNTS (AN ESTABLISHED BUSINESS WITH A NEW OWNER) WHICH AMOUNTS TO NEARLY ONE-THIRD OF THE TOTAL NEW BUSINESSES.

# MONTANA MONTHLY LABOR FORCE BY COUNTY

## LABOR FORCE STATISTICS

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| COUNTY        | CIVILIAN<br>LABOR FORCE | EMPLOY-<br>MENT | UNEMPLOY-<br>MENT | PERCENT<br>RATE |
|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| MONTANA       | 403,000                 | 375,000         | 28,000            | 6.9%            |
| YELLOWSTONE   | 64,565                  | 61,148          | 3,417             | 5.3%            |
| CASCADE       | 39,127                  | 36,850          | 2,277             | 5.8%            |
| BEAVERHEAD    | 4,304                   | 4,056           | 248               | 5.8%            |
| BIG HORN      | 4,263                   | 3,746           | 517               | 12.1%           |
| BLAINE        | 3,024                   | 2,768           | 256               | 8.5%            |
| BROADWATER    | 1,386                   | 1,300           | 86                | 6.2%            |
| CARBON        | 3,863                   | 3,614           | 249               | 6.4%            |
| CARTER        | 824                     | 792             | 32                | 3.9%            |
| CHOUTEAU      | 2,581                   | 2,472           | 109               | 4.2%            |
| CUSTER        | 5,730                   | 5,454           | 276               | 4.8%            |
| DANIELS       | 1,081                   | 1,049           | 32                | 3.0%            |
| DAWSON        | 4,699                   | 4,496           | 203               | 4.3%            |
| DEER LODGE    | 4,231                   | 3,830           | 401               | 9.5%            |
| FALLON        | 1,318                   | 1,256           | 62                | 4.7%            |
| FERGUS        | 5,939                   | 5,424           | 515               | 8.7%            |
| FLATHEAD      | 31,492                  | 28,537          | 2,955             | 9.4%            |
| GALLATIN      | 28,332                  | 27,203          | 1,129             | 4.0%            |
| GARFIELD      | 758                     | 736             | 22                | 2.9%            |
| GLACIER       | 4,879                   | 4,294           | 585               | 12.0%           |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | 471                     | 419             | 52                | 11.0%           |
| GRANITE       | 1,246                   | 1,142           | 104               | 8.3%            |
| HILL          | 7,609                   | 7,042           | 567               | 7.5%            |
| JEFFERSON     | 5,595                   | 5,329           | 266               | 4.8%            |
| JUDITH BASIN  | 1,253                   | 1,191           | 62                | 4.9%            |
| LAKE          | 10,332                  | 9,396           | 936               | 9.1%            |
| LEWIS & CLARK | 25,873                  | 24,419          | 1,454             | 5.6%            |
| LIBERTY       | 770                     | 746             | 24                | 3.1%            |
| LINCOLN       | 8,802                   | 7,470           | 1,332             | 15.1%           |
| MCCONE        | 1,052                   | 1,002           | 50                | 4.8%            |
| MADISON       | 2,945                   | 2,798           | 147               | 5.0%            |
| MEAGHER       | 905                     | 854             | 51                | 5.6%            |
| MINERAL       | 1,434                   | 1,256           | 178               | 12.4%           |
| MISSOULA      | 42,597                  | 39,849          | 2,748             | 6.5%            |
| MUSSELSHELL   | 1,636                   | 1,482           | 154               | 9.4%            |
| PARK          | 6,275                   | 5,691           | 584               | 9.3%            |
| PETROLEUM     | 260                     | 236             | 24                | 9.2%            |
| PHILLIPS      | 2,692                   | 2,567           | 125               | 4.6%            |
| PONDERA       | 2,746                   | 2,607           | 139               | 5.1%            |
| POWDER RIVER  | 1,118                   | 1,069           | 49                | 4.4%            |
| POWELL        | 2,937                   | 2,715           | 222               | 7.6%            |
| PRAIRIE       | 631                     | 601             | 30                | 4.8%            |
| RAVALLI       | 12,159                  | 10,891          | 1,268             | 10.4%           |
| RICHLAND      | 5,140                   | 4,736           | 404               | 7.9%            |
| ROOSEVELT     | 5,051                   | 4,510           | 541               | 10.7%           |
| ROSEBUD       | 4,873                   | 4,493           | 380               | 7.8%            |
| SANDERS       | 2,990                   | 2,473           | 517               | 17.3%           |
| SHERIDAN      | 2,111                   | 2,049           | 62                | 2.9%            |
| SILVER BOW    | 13,603                  | 12,386          | 1,217             | 8.9%            |
| STILLWATER    | 3,325                   | 3,079           | 246               | 7.4%            |
| SWEET GRASS   | 1,391                   | 1,322           | 69                | 5.0%            |
| TETON         | 2,646                   | 2,520           | 126               | 4.8%            |
| TOOLE         | 2,067                   | 1,948           | 119               | 5.8%            |
| TREASURE      | 439                     | 419             | 20                | 4.6%            |
| VALLEY        | 4,205                   | 3,953           | 252               | 6.0%            |
| WHEATLAND     | 943                     | 873             | 70                | 7.4%            |
| WIBAUX        | 488                     | 445             | 43                | 8.8%            |

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|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| MONTANA       | 402,000                 | 379,000         | 23,000            | 5.8%            |
| YELLOWSTONE   | 64,368                  | 61,301          | 3,067             | 4.8%            |
| CASCADE       | 39,194                  | 37,220          | 1,974             | 5.0%            |
| BEAVERHEAD    | 4,329                   | 4,144           | 185               | 4.3%            |
| BIG HORN      | 4,355                   | 3,792           | 563               | 12.9%           |
| BLAINE        | 3,211                   | 2,948           | 263               | 8.2%            |
| BROADWATER    | 1,374                   | 1,292           | 82                | 6.0%            |
| CARBON        | 3,819                   | 3,655           | 164               | 4.3%            |
| CARTER        | 848                     | 823             | 25                | 2.9%            |
| CHOUTEAU      | 2,587                   | 2,504           | 83                | 3.2%            |
| CUSTER        | 5,862                   | 5,617           | 245               | 4.2%            |
| DANIELS       | 1,115                   | 1,077           | 38                | 3.4%            |
| DAWSON        | 4,779                   | 4,588           | 191               | 4.0%            |
| DEER LODGE    | 4,242                   | 3,898           | 344               | 8.1%            |
| FALLON        | 1,316                   | 1,276           | 40                | 3.0%            |
| FERGUS        | 5,866                   | 5,505           | 361               | 6.2%            |
| FLATHEAD      | 31,142                  | 28,809          | 2,333             | 7.5%            |
| GALLATIN      | 27,674                  | 26,752          | 922               | 3.3%            |
| GARFIELD      | 765                     | 745             | 20                | 2.6%            |
| GLACIER       | 5,019                   | 4,424           | 595               | 11.9%           |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | 473                     | 454             | 19                | 4.0%            |
| GRANITE       | 1,278                   | 1,179           | 99                | 7.7%            |
| HILL          | 7,676                   | 7,216           | 460               | 6.0%            |
| JEFFERSON     | 5,699                   | 5,495           | 204               | 3.6%            |
| JUDITH BASIN  | 1,306                   | 1,253           | 53                | 4.1%            |
| LAKE          | 10,531                  | 9,674           | 857               | 8.1%            |
| LEWIS & CLARK | 25,638                  | 24,495          | 1,143             | 4.5%            |
| LIBERTY       | 785                     | 764             | 21                | 2.7%            |
| LINCOLN       | 8,759                   | 7,756           | 1,003             | 11.5%           |
| MCCONE        | 1,085                   | 1,042           | 43                | 4.0%            |
| MADISON       | 2,959                   | 2,850           | 109               | 3.7%            |
| MEAGHER       | 920                     | 887             | 33                | 3.6%            |
| MINERAL       | 1,426                   | 1,282           | 144               | 10.1%           |
| MISSOULA      | 42,123                  | 40,055          | 2,068             | 4.9%            |
| MUSSELSHELL   | 1,663                   | 1,532           | 131               | 7.9%            |
| PARK          | 6,100                   | 5,645           | 455               | 7.5%            |
| PETROLEUM     | 246                     | 237             | 9                 | 3.7%            |
| PHILLIPS      | 2,797                   | 2,672           | 125               | 4.5%            |
| PONDERA       | 2,782                   | 2,658           | 124               | 4.5%            |
| POWDER RIVER  | 1,114                   | 1,089           | 25                | 2.2%            |
| POWELL        | 2,888                   | 2,737           | 151               | 5.2%            |
| PRAIRIE       | 650                     | 617             | 33                | 5.1%            |
| RAVALLI       | 11,834                  | 10,855          | 979               | 8.3%            |
| RICHLAND      | 5,076                   | 4,766           | 310               | 6.1%            |
| ROOSEVELT     | 5,079                   | 4,581           | 498               | 9.8%            |
| ROSEBUD       | 4,899                   | 4,554           | 345               | 7.0%            |
| SANDERS       | 3,016                   | 2,634           | 382               | 12.7%           |
| SHERIDAN      | 2,154                   | 2,091           | 63                | 2.9%            |
| SILVER BOW    | 13,508                  | 12,508          | 1,000             | 7.4%            |
| STILLWATER    | 3,370                   | 3,252           | 118               | 3.5%            |
| SWEET GRASS   | 1,410                   | 1,367           | 43                | 3.0%            |
| TETON         | 2,702                   | 2,606           | 96                | 3.6%            |
| TOOLE         | 2,106                   | 2,023           | 83                | 3.9%            |
| TREASURE      | 441                     | 429             | 12                | 2.7%            |
| VALLEY        | 4,206                   | 4,010           | 196               | 4.7%            |
| WHEATLAND     | 955                     | 904             | 51                | 5.3%            |
| WIBAUX        | 484                     | 463             | 21                | 4.3%            |

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|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| MONTANA       | 405,000                 | 381,000         | 24,000            | 5.9%            |
| YELLOWSTONE   | 64,383                  | 61,249          | 3,134             | 4.9%            |
| CASCADE       | 39,470                  | 37,435          | 2,035             | 5.2%            |
| BEAVERHEAD    | 4,496                   | 4,275           | 221               | 4.9%            |
| BIG HORN      | 4,364                   | 3,876           | 488               | 11.2%           |
| BLAINE        | 3,302                   | 2,976           | 326               | 9.9%            |
| BROADWATER    | 1,406                   | 1,304           | 102               | 7.3%            |
| CARBON        | 3,972                   | 3,747           | 225               | 5.7%            |
| CARTER        | 941                     | 919             | 22                | 2.3%            |
| CHOUTEAU      | 2,689                   | 2,612           | 77                | 2.9%            |
| CUSTER        | 6,028                   | 5,731           | 297               | 4.9%            |
| DANIELS       | 1,177                   | 1,140           | 37                | 3.1%            |
| DAWSON        | 5,072                   | 4,819           | 253               | 5.0%            |
| DEER LODGE    | 4,297                   | 3,952           | 345               | 8.0%            |
| FALLON        | 1,428                   | 1,342           | 86                | 6.0%            |
| FERGUS        | 6,071                   | 5,667           | 404               | 6.7%            |
| FLATHEAD      | 30,564                  | 28,232          | 2,332             | 7.6%            |
| GALLATIN      | 26,786                  | 25,775          | 1,011             | 3.8%            |
| GARFIELD      | 857                     | 846             | 11                | 1.3%            |
| GLACIER       | 5,413                   | 4,703           | 710               | 13.1%           |
| GOLDEN VALLEY | 504                     | 473             | 31                | 6.2%            |
| GRANITE       | 1,328                   | 1,244           | 84                | 6.3%            |
| HILL          | 7,683                   | 7,244           | 439               | 5.7%            |
| JEFFERSON     | 5,942                   | 5,765           | 177               | 3.0%            |
| JUDITH BASIN  | 1,350                   | 1,286           | 64                | 4.7%            |
| LAKE          | 10,873                  | 9,966           | 907               | 8.3%            |
| LEWIS & CLARK | 25,783                  | 24,567          | 1,216             | 4.7%            |
| LIBERTY       | 910                     | 882             | 28                | 3.1%            |
| LINCOLN       | 8,431                   | 7,569           | 862               | 10.2%           |
| MCCONE        | 1,217                   | 1,177           | 40                | 3.3%            |
| MADISON       | 3,119                   | 2,990           | 129               | 4.1%            |
| MEAGHER       | 1,009                   | 946             | 63                | 6.2%            |
| MINERAL       | 1,386                   | 1,255           | 131               | 9.5%            |
| MISSOULA      | 41,341                  | 39,210          | 2,131             | 5.2%            |
| MUSSELSHELL   | 1,764                   | 1,633           | 131               | 7.4%            |
| PARK          | 5,970                   | 5,514           | 456               | 7.6%            |
| PETROLEUM     | 275                     | 265             | 10                | 3.6%            |
| PHILLIPS      | 2,908                   | 2,763           | 145               | 5.0%            |
| PONDERA       | 2,996                   | 2,832           | 164               | 5.5%            |
| POWDER RIVER  | 1,204                   | 1,155           | 49                | 4.1%            |
| POWELL        | 2,962                   | 2,805           | 157               | 5.3%            |
| PRAIRIE       | 734                     | 689             | 45                | 6.1%            |
| RAVALLI       | 11,762                  | 10,680          | 1,082             | 9.2%            |
| RICHLAND      | 5,359                   | 4,972           | 387               | 7.2%            |
| ROOSEVELT     | 5,234                   | 4,818           | 416               | 7.9%            |
| ROSEBUD       | 5,119                   | 4,761           | 358               | 7.0%            |
| SANDERS       | 3,129                   | 2,741           | 388               | 12.4%           |
| SHERIDAN      | 2,314                   | 2,240           | 74                | 3.2%            |
| SILVER BOW    | 13,380                  | 12,375          | 1,005             | 7.5%            |
| STILLWATER    | 3,328                   | 3,193           | 135               | 4.1%            |
| SWEET GRASS   | 1,482                   | 1,426           | 56                | 3.8%            |
| TETON         | 2,901                   | 2,795           | 106               | 3.7%            |
| TOOLE         | 2,212                   | 2,127           | 85                | 3.8%            |
| TREASURE      | 441                     | 432             | 9                 | 2.0%            |
| VALLEY        | 4,378                   | 4,165           | 213               | 4.9%            |
| WHEATLAND     | 1,028                   | 946             | 82                | 8.0%            |
| WIBAUX        | 534                     | 501             | 33                | 6.2%            |

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|                                 | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS     | 289.9 | 290.1 | 292.0 | 296.6 | 303.8 | 310.1 | 303.7 | 307.2 | 310.3 | 306.8 | 306.3 | 305.2 | 302.0 |
| TOTAL PRIVATE                   | 218.0 | 217.4 | 218.8 | 222.9 | 229.4 | 237.8 | 240.5 | 242.1 | 240.0 | 236.7 | 234.1 | 234.0 | 231.0 |
| GOODS PRODUCING                 | 35.0  | 34.6  | 34.0  | 35.5  | 36.4  | 40.7  | 42.0  | 42.4  | 41.9  | 41.6  | 40.5  | 39.2  | 38.8  |
| PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING       | 183.0 | 182.8 | 184.8 | 187.4 | 191.0 | 197.1 | 198.5 | 199.7 | 198.1 | 195.1 | 193.6 | 194.8 | 192.2 |
| MINING                          | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.6   | 5.9   | 6.1   | 6.4   | 6.2   | 6.0   | 6.1   | 5.9   | 6.0   | 6.0   |
| METAL MINING                    | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   |
| GOLD & SILVER ORES              | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| COAL MINING                     | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.1   |
| OIL & GAS EXTRACTION            | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.5   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| NONMETALLIC MINERALS            | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 1.0   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   |
| CONSTRUCTION                    | 7.5   | 7.5   | 8.3   | 9.9   | 11.2  | 12.5  | 13.2  | 13.6  | 13.6  | 13.1  | 12.4  | 11.3  | 11.2  |
| GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS    | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.7   | 3.0   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.3   | 3.4   | 3.1   | 3.1   |
| HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS  | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.9   | 2.8   | 3.1   | 3.6   | 4.0   | 4.3   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 3.5   | 3.0   | 3.1   |
| SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS       | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.9   | 4.6   | 5.1   | 5.5   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.5   | 5.2   | 5.0   |
| MANUFACTURING                   | 21.7  | 21.4  | 20.0  | 20.0  | 21.3  | 22.1  | 22.4  | 22.6  | 22.3  | 22.4  | 22.2  | 21.9  | 21.7  |
| DURABLE GOODS                   | 13.4  | 13.1  | 11.9  | 11.8  | 13.0  | 13.7  | 14.1  | 14.1  | 13.8  | 13.7  | 13.6  | 13.4  | 13.3  |
| LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS          | 7.6   | 7.3   | 6.0   | 6.0   | 7.1   | 7.7   | 8.0   | 8.0   | 7.8   | 7.7   | 7.6   | 7.5   | 7.4   |
| LOGGING                         | 1.4   | 1.3   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.9   | 1.4   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.3   |
| SAWMILLS & PLANING              | 4.5   | 4.3   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 4.4   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS            | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES        | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                | 8.3   | 8.3   | 8.1   | 8.2   | 8.3   | 8.4   | 8.3   | 8.5   | 8.5   | 8.7   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.4   |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS         | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.1   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.9   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.5   |
| PRINTING & PUBLISHING           | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.6   |
| TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES      | 20.0  | 20.0  | 19.9  | 20.1  | 20.4  | 20.5  | 20.2  | 20.3  | 20.3  | 20.5  | 20.5  | 20.5  | 20.3  |
| TRANSPORTATION                  | 12.3  | 12.3  | 12.3  | 12.4  | 12.6  | 12.6  | 12.3  | 12.4  | 12.5  | 12.7  | 12.7  | 12.8  | 12.5  |
| RAILROAD                        | 3.4   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.3   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.3   | 3.4   |
| LOCAL & INTERURBAN              | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.1   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   |
| TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE            | 5.9   | 6.0   | 5.9   | 5.8   | 5.9   | 6.1   | 6.1   | 6.1   | 6.1   | 6.1   | 6.2   | 6.6   | 6.1   |
| COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES      | 7.7   | 7.7   | 7.6   | 7.7   | 7.8   | 7.9   | 7.9   | 7.9   | 7.8   | 7.8   | 7.8   | 7.7   | 7.8   |
| COMMUNICATIONS                  | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.4   | 3.5   |
| TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS        | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   |
| ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY         | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   |
| COMBINATION UTILITY             | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE | 13.3  | 13.3  | 13.5  | 13.6  | 13.7  | 14.1  | 14.1  | 14.2  | 14.0  | 13.9  | 13.9  | 13.0  | 13.8  |
| FINANCE                         | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.5   | 7.6   | 7.7   | 7.8   | 7.6   | 7.6   | 7.6   | 7.6   | 7.5   |
| DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS         | 5.6   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.6   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.7   |
| COMMERCIAL BANKS                | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.1   |
| INSURANCE                       | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.5   |
| INSURANCE CARRIERS              | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   |
| INSURANCE AGENTS                | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   |
| REAL ESTATE                     | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   |

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|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| TRADE                           | 77.2 | 76.7 | 77.9 | 78.6 | 80.7 | 83.4 | 83.8 | 84.4 | 83.1 | 82.5 | 82.0 | 82.4 | 81.1 |
| WHOLESALE TRADE                 | 15.7 | 15.6 | 15.8 | 15.9 | 16.0 | 16.2 | 16.2 | 16.1 | 16.1 | 16.3 | 16.0 | 16.0 | 16.0 |
| WHOLESALE -- DURABLE GOODS      | 7.9  | 7.9  | 8.0  | 8.0  | 8.1  | 8.2  | 8.2  | 8.2  | 8.1  | 8.2  | 8.0  | 8.0  | 8.1  |
| MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS           | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  |
| MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT            | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  |
| WHOLESALE -- NONDURABLE GOODS   | 7.8  | 7.7  | 7.8  | 7.9  | 7.9  | 8.0  | 8.0  | 7.9  | 8.0  | 8.1  | 8.0  | 8.0  | 7.9  |
| GROCERIES & RELATED             | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  |
| PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS   | 1.3  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.3  |
| MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.6  | 1.6  |
| RETAIL TRADE                    | 61.5 | 61.1 | 62.1 | 62.7 | 64.7 | 67.2 | 67.6 | 68.3 | 67.0 | 66.2 | 66.0 | 66.4 | 65.1 |
| BLDG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.9  | 3.1  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.3  | 3.1  | 3.2  | 3.1  | 3.0  | 3.0  |
| GENERAL MERCHANDISE             | 6.7  | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.6  | 6.6  | 6.6  | 6.8  | 6.8  | 7.0  | 7.4  | 7.6  | 6.8  |
| DEPARTMENT STORES               | 4.2  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.1  | 4.0  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.5  | 4.6  | 4.2  |
| FOOD STORES                     | 9.6  | 9.5  | 9.5  | 9.6  | 9.9  | 10.2 | 10.4 | 10.4 | 10.2 | 10.2 | 10.3 | 10.3 | 10.0 |
| AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS              | 8.1  | 8.2  | 8.3  | 8.3  | 8.4  | 8.7  | 8.8  | 8.8  | 8.8  | 8.7  | 8.7  | 8.6  | 8.5  |
| NEW, USED CAR DEALER            | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.2  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  |
| GAS STATIONS                    | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.5  | 3.7  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.7  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  |
| APPAREL & ACCESSORY             | 2.4  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.4  |
| FURNITURE, HOME FURN, EQUIPMENT | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.6  |
| EATING & DRINKING PLACES        | 22.8 | 22.7 | 23.4 | 23.6 | 24.5 | 26.0 | 26.2 | 26.4 | 25.9 | 24.8 | 24.1 | 24.0 | 24.5 |
| MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL            | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  |
| DRUG STORES                     | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  |
| MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS    | 3.0  | 2.9  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.2  | 3.5  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.6  | 3.3  |
| SERVICES                        | 72.5 | 72.8 | 73.5 | 75.1 | 76.2 | 79.1 | 80.4 | 80.8 | 80.7 | 78.2 | 77.2 | 78.0 | 77.0 |
| HOTELS & OTHER LODGING          | 5.6  | 5.7  | 5.8  | 5.8  | 6.4  | 6.3  | 6.4  | 6.4  | 6.8  | 7.7  | 6.7  | 7.0  | 7.2  |
| PERSONAL SERVICES               | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  |
| BUSINESS SERVICES               | 6.4  | 6.6  | 6.4  | 6.7  | 6.9  | 6.9  | 6.9  | 7.2  | 7.1  | 7.1  | 7.0  | 6.9  | 6.8  |
| AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING    | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.5  | 3.7  | 3.6  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.8  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.6  |
| AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES     | 5.1  | 4.8  | 4.7  | 5.0  | 5.2  | 6.1  | 6.4  | 6.6  | 6.8  | 5.2  | 5.2  | 5.7  | 5.6  |
| HEALTH SERVICES                 | 25.7 | 25.7 | 26.0 | 26.1 | 26.4 | 26.7 | 26.8 | 27.0 | 26.8 | 26.7 | 26.7 | 26.7 | 26.4 |
| NURSING & PERSONAL CARE         | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.2  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.0  | 4.1  |
| HOSPITALS                       | 13.9 | 13.9 | 14.1 | 14.2 | 14.3 | 14.5 | 14.6 | 14.7 | 14.6 | 14.5 | 14.5 | 14.6 | 14.4 |
| LEGAL SERVICES                  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  |
| EDUCATIONAL SERVICES            | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.2  | 1.9  | 1.8  | 2.1  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.5  |
| SOCIAL SERVICES                 | 6.9  | 7.0  | 7.1  | 7.2  | 7.4  | 7.1  | 7.2  | 7.1  | 7.4  | 7.5  | 7.6  | 7.5  | 7.3  |
| INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY             | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.0  |
| RESIDENTIAL CARE                | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  |
| MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS        | 6.7  | 6.7  | 6.7  | 6.7  | 6.8  | 6.9  | 7.1  | 7.0  | 7.0  | 6.8  | 6.8  | 7.0  | 6.9  |
| ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT        | 4.3  | 4.5  | 4.6  | 4.9  | 4.8  | 5.0  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.7  |
| ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS           | 1.1  | 1.2  | 1.2  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  |
| *ACCOUNTING, AUDITING           | 1.4  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.4  |
| TOTAL GOVERNMENT                | 71.9 | 72.7 | 73.2 | 73.7 | 74.4 | 72.3 | 63.2 | 65.1 | 70.3 | 72.1 | 72.2 | 71.2 | 71.0 |
| TOTAL FEDERAL GOVERNMENT        | 12.5 | 12.4 | 12.4 | 12.6 | 12.9 | 13.7 | 14.1 | 14.1 | 13.5 | 12.8 | 12.4 | 12.1 | 13.0 |
| TOTAL STATE GOVERNMENT          | 22.1 | 22.2 | 22.2 | 22.2 | 21.7 | 21.3 | 18.7 | 10.4 | 21.4 | 22.3 | 22.6 | 21.8 | 21.5 |
| STATE EDUCATION                 | 10.9 | 11.0 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.5 | 10.0 | 7.3  | 8.0  | 10.1 | 10.9 | 11.2 | 10.7 | 10.2 |
| *OTHER STATE GOVERNMENT         | 11.2 | 11.2 | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.2 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.4 | 11.3 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.2 | 11.3 |
| TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT          | 37.3 | 38.1 | 38.6 | 38.9 | 38.8 | 37.3 | 30.4 | 31.6 | 35.4 | 37.0 | 37.2 | 37.3 | 36.6 |
| LOCAL EDUCATION                 | 24.8 | 25.6 | 26.0 | 25.9 | 26.3 | 22.8 | 15.8 | 16.4 | 22.0 | 24.0 | 24.2 | 24.5 | 23.2 |
| *OTHER LOCAL GOVERNMENT         | 12.5 | 12.5 | 12.6 | 13.0 | 13.4 | 14.5 | 14.6 | 15.3 | 13.4 | 13.1 | 13.0 | 12.7 | 13.4 |

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|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS     | 284.1 | 284.5 | 286.7 | 294.0 | 299.9 | 306.1 | 298.2 | 300.9 | 303.8 | 304.7 | 302.0 | 300.0 | 297.2 |
| TOTAL PRIVATE                   | 214.0 | 213.5 | 216.3 | 220.2 | 225.2 | 232.9 | 233.5 | 235.1 | 233.0 | 230.9 | 228.5 | 227.3 | 225.9 |
| GOODS PRODUCING                 | 35.3  | 34.6  | 35.4  | 36.7  | 38.5  | 40.4  | 41.8  | 42.3  | 42.1  | 41.8  | 40.3  | 38.5  | 39.0  |
| PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING       | 178.7 | 178.9 | 180.9 | 183.5 | 186.7 | 192.5 | 191.7 | 192.8 | 190.9 | 189.3 | 188.2 | 188.8 | 186.9 |
| MINING                          | 5.7   | 5.9   | 6.1   | 6.0   | 6.2   | 6.4   | 6.6   | 6.7   | 6.6   | 6.4   | 6.4   | 6.2   | 6.3   |
| METAL MINING                    | 2.4   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| GOLD & SILVER ORES              | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.4   |
| COAL MINING                     | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| OIL & GAS EXTRACTION            | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| NONMETALLIC MINERALS            | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   |
| CONSTRUCTION                    | 7.9   | 7.5   | 8.1   | 9.4   | 10.5  | 11.4  | 12.0  | 12.4  | 12.6  | 12.0  | 11.1  | 9.8   | 10.4  |
| GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS    | 2.4   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.5   | 2.8   | 3.1   | 3.3   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.0   | 2.9   |
| HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS  | 1.7   | 1.7   | 2.1   | 2.5   | 2.9   | 3.1   | 3.4   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.4   | 2.8   | 2.2   | 2.6   |
| SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS       | 3.8   | 3.6   | 3.8   | 4.4   | 4.8   | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.4   | 5.1   | 4.6   | 4.7   |
| MANUFACTURING                   | 21.7  | 21.2  | 21.2  | 21.3  | 21.8  | 22.6  | 23.2  | 23.2  | 22.9  | 23.2  | 22.8  | 22.5  | 22.3  |
| DURABLE GOODS                   | 13.6  | 13.4  | 13.3  | 13.2  | 13.6  | 14.3  | 14.9  | 14.8  | 14.6  | 14.4  | 14.1  | 13.8  | 14.0  |
| LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS          | 8.4   | 8.2   | 7.9   | 7.5   | 7.8   | 8.3   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.5   | 8.4   | 8.2   | 8.0   | 8.2   |
| LOGGING                         | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.4   | 1.0   | 1.3   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.6   | 1.6   |
| SAWMILLS & PLANING              | 4.9   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.8   | 4.9   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.6   | 4.6   |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS            | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.0   |
| PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES        | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                | 8.1   | 7.8   | 7.9   | 8.1   | 8.2   | 8.3   | 8.3   | 8.4   | 8.3   | 8.8   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.3   |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS         | 2.6   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.5   |
| PRINTING & PUBLISHING           | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.8   |
| TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES      | 19.7  | 19.7  | 19.8  | 19.8  | 20.0  | 20.3  | 20.0  | 20.3  | 20.5  | 20.5  | 20.6  | 20.8  | 20.1  |
| TRANSPORTATION                  | 12.0  | 12.0  | 12.0  | 12.1  | 12.3  | 12.4  | 12.1  | 12.3  | 12.6  | 12.7  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.3  |
| RAILROAD                        | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.4   | 3.5   |
| LOCAL & INTERURBAN              | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   |
| TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE            | 5.6   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.6   | 5.7   | 6.0   | 6.0   | 6.0   | 6.0   | 6.1   | 6.1   | 6.3   | 5.9   |
| COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES      | 7.7   | 7.7   | 7.6   | 7.7   | 7.7   | 7.9   | 7.9   | 8.0   | 7.9   | 7.8   | 7.8   | 7.8   | 7.8   |
| COMMUNICATIONS                  | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   |
| TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS        | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 2.0   |
| ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY         | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   |
| COMBINATION UTILITY             | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE | 12.9  | 13.0  | 13.1  | 13.2  | 13.3  | 13.7  | 13.6  | 13.6  | 13.6  | 13.6  | 13.4  | 13.8  | 13.4  |
| FINANCE                         | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.5   | 7.5   | 7.5   | 7.5   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.5   | 7.5   |
| DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS         | 8.8   | 8.5   | 8.5   | 8.5   | 8.5   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.5   | 8.6   | 8.6   |
| COMMERCIAL BANKS                | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   |
| INSURANCE                       | 3.2   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.4   |
| INSURANCE CARRIERS              | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   |
| INSURANCE AGENTS                | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.0   |
| REAL ESTATE                     | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   |

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|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| TRADE                           | 74.6 | 74.4 | 75.4 | 76.6 | 78.8 | 81.2 | 81.7 | 82.3 | 81.3 | 80.3 | 80.1 | 80.8 | 78.9 |
| WHOLESALE TRADE                 | 15.3 | 15.2 | 15.5 | 15.6 | 15.9 | 16.2 | 16.1 | 16.1 | 16.2 | 16.3 | 16.3 | 16.2 | 15.9 |
| WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS       | 7.8  | 7.7  | 7.8  | 7.9  | 8.0  | 8.2  | 8.2  | 8.1  | 8.1  | 8.1  | 8.1  | 8.1  | 8.0  |
| MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS           | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  |
| MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT            | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.7  |
| WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS    | 7.5  | 7.5  | 7.7  | 7.7  | 7.9  | 8.0  | 7.9  | 8.0  | 8.1  | 8.2  | 8.2  | 8.1  | 7.9  |
| GROCERIES & RELATED             | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.5  |
| PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS   | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  |
| MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.6  | 1.6  |
| RETAIL TRADE                    | 59.3 | 59.2 | 59.9 | 61.0 | 62.9 | 65.0 | 65.6 | 66.2 | 65.1 | 64.0 | 63.6 | 64.3 | 63.0 |
| BLDG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.9  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.1  | 3.1  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.9  |
| GENERAL MERCHANDISE             | 8.4  | 8.2  | 8.1  | 8.1  | 8.3  | 8.4  | 8.5  | 8.6  | 8.5  | 8.5  | 8.5  | 8.4  | 8.3  |
| DEPARTMENT STORES               | 4.2  | 4.0  | 3.9  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.2  | 4.1  | 4.2  | 4.5  | 4.6  | 4.2  |
| FOOD STORES                     | 9.2  | 9.2  | 9.2  | 9.3  | 9.6  | 9.9  | 10.1 | 10.1 | 10.0 | 9.9  | 9.9  | 10.0 | 9.7  |
| AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS              | 8.4  | 8.3  | 8.4  | 8.5  | 8.6  | 8.8  | 8.8  | 8.8  | 8.7  | 8.6  | 8.4  | 8.3  | 8.0  |
| NEW, USED CAR DEALER            | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.4  |
| GAS STATIONS                    | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.5  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.5  | 3.6  | 3.4  | 3.4  | 3.5  |
| APPAREL & ACCESSORY             | 2.4  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.4  |
| FURNITURE, HOME FURN, EQUIPMENT | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.5  |
| EATING & DRINKING PLACES        | 21.5 | 21.7 | 22.2 | 22.9 | 23.8 | 25.0 | 25.2 | 25.6 | 25.0 | 24.1 | 23.6 | 23.4 | 23.7 |
| MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL            | 6.4  | 6.5  | 6.5  | 6.7  | 6.9  | 7.0  | 7.0  | 7.1  | 7.0  | 6.9  | 6.9  | 7.3  | 6.9  |
| DRUG STORES                     | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  |
| MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS    | 3.0  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.3  | 3.2  | 3.1  | 3.4  | 3.2  |
| SERVICES                        | 71.5 | 71.8 | 72.8 | 73.9 | 74.6 | 77.3 | 76.4 | 76.6 | 75.5 | 76.0 | 74.1 | 74.2 | 74.5 |
| HOTELS & OTHER LODGING          | 6.2  | 6.2  | 6.4  | 6.3  | 6.7  | 8.5  | 9.1  | 9.0  | 8.1  | 7.0  | 6.3  | 6.5  | 7.2  |
| PERSONAL SERVICES               | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.6  |
| BUSINESS SERVICES               | 6.1  | 5.9  | 6.2  | 6.1  | 6.4  | 6.5  | 6.5  | 6.6  | 6.6  | 6.6  | 6.6  | 6.6  | 6.4  |
| AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING    | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.8  | 3.9  | 3.9  | 3.8  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.7  |
| AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES     | 4.6  | 4.6  | 4.7  | 4.9  | 4.9  | 5.3  | 5.3  | 5.3  | 5.2  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 4.8  | 5.0  |
| HEALTH SERVICES                 | 25.2 | 25.3 | 25.5 | 25.8 | 25.9 | 26.3 | 25.9 | 26.0 | 25.9 | 25.8 | 25.9 | 26.0 | 25.8 |
| NURSING & PERSONAL CARE         | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.2  |
| HOSPITALS                       | 13.5 | 13.5 | 13.6 | 13.8 | 13.9 | 14.1 | 13.9 | 14.0 | 13.9 | 13.8 | 14.0 | 14.0 | 13.8 |
| LEGAL SERVICES                  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.2  |
| EDUCATIONAL SERVICES            | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.9  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.3  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.3  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.5  |
| SOCIAL SERVICES                 | 6.3  | 6.3  | 6.4  | 6.3  | 6.4  | 6.2  | 6.0  | 6.0  | 6.4  | 6.7  | 6.9  | 6.9  | 6.4  |
| INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY             | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.8  | 1.9  |
| RESIDENTIAL CARE                | 1.2  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.3  |
| MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS        | 6.6  | 6.7  | 6.8  | 6.8  | 6.7  | 6.9  | 6.8  | 6.9  | 6.8  | 6.7  | 6.7  | 6.7  | 6.7  |
| ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT        | 4.3  | 4.5  | 4.6  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 5.1  | 4.9  | 4.8  | 4.6  | 4.7  | 4.7  | 4.6  | 4.7  |
| ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS           | 1.1  | 1.1  | 1.2  | 1.2  | 1.2  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.3  | 1.2  | 1.2  |
| *ACCOUNTING, AUDITING           | 1.5  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.5  | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.5  |
| TOTAL GOVERNMENT                | 70.1 | 71.0 | 72.4 | 73.8 | 74.7 | 73.2 | 64.7 | 65.8 | 70.8 | 73.8 | 73.5 | 72.7 | 71.4 |
| TOTAL FEDERAL GOVERNMENT        | 12.7 | 12.6 | 12.9 | 14.4 | 14.6 | 14.8 | 15.6 | 15.0 | 14.8 | 14.1 | 13.1 | 13.5 | 14.0 |
| TOTAL STATE GOVERNMENT          | 20.8 | 21.1 | 21.6 | 21.4 | 21.3 | 20.6 | 19.5 | 18.4 | 20.3 | 21.7 | 21.6 | 21.0 | 20.6 |
| STATE EDUCATION                 | 10.3 | 10.4 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.5 | 9.6  | 8.2  | 7.1  | 9.2  | 10.6 | 10.9 | 9.9  | 9.9  |
| *OTHER STATE GOVERNMENT         | 10.5 | 10.7 | 10.8 | 10.9 | 10.8 | 10.9 | 11.3 | 11.2 | 11.0 | 10.9 | 11.1 | 11.0 |      |
| TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT          | 36.6 | 37.3 | 37.9 | 38.0 | 38.6 | 37.8 | 29.9 | 32.4 | 35.7 | 38.0 | 38.6 | 38.2 | 36.6 |
| LOCAL EDUCATION                 | 24.1 | 24.9 | 25.2 | 25.1 | 25.3 | 23.1 | 15.1 | 17.1 | 22.2 | 25.1 | 25.8 | 25.4 | 23.2 |
| *OTHER LOCAL GOVERNMENT         | 12.5 | 12.4 | 12.7 | 12.8 | 13.2 | 14.7 | 14.5 | 15.3 | 13.6 | 12.9 | 13.0 | 12.7 | 13.4 |

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|                                 | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
|---------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS     | 144.0 | 144.5 | 144.3 | 146.5 | 148.9 | 149.7 | 145.1 | 147.8 | 151.5 | 151.0 | 150.0 | 149.8 | 147.8 |
| TOTAL PRIVATE                   | 105.9 | 105.7 | 105.3 | 107.4 | 109.4 | 112.8 | 114.4 | 115.5 | 114.6 | 113.0 | 111.9 | 112.2 | 110.7 |
| GOODS PRODUCING                 | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.5   | 5.7   | 6.1   | 6.2   | 6.4   | 6.4   | 6.2   | 6.3   | 6.2   | 6.0   | 6.1   |
| PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING       | 100.1 | 99.9  | 99.8  | 101.7 | 103.3 | 106.6 | 108.0 | 109.1 | 108.6 | 106.7 | 105.7 | 106.2 | 104.6 |
| MINING                          | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   |
| METAL MINING                    | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.2   |
| GOLD & SILVER ORES              | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| COAL MINING                     | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| OIL & GAS EXTRACTION            | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   |
| NONMETALLIC MINERALS            | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| CONSTRUCTION                    | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.2   |
| GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS    | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.4   |
| HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS  | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.3   |
| SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS       | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   |
| MANUFACTURING                   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.5   | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.3   |
| DURABLE GOODS                   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   |
| LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS          | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   |
| LOGGING                         | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| SAWMILLS & PLANING              | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   |
| STONE, CLAY & GLASS             | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES        | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.6   | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.4   |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS         | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.6   | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.5   | 0.5   |
| PRINTING & PUBLISHING           | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   |
| TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES      | 5.3   | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.3   | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.3   |
| TRANSPORTATION                  | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.7   |
| LOCAL & INTERURBAN              | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   |
| TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE            | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   |
| COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES      | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.6   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| COMMUNICATIONS                  | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   |
| TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS        | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   |
| ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY         | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   |
| COMBINATION UTILITY             | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   |
| FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE | 9.1   | 9.1   | 9.1   | 9.4   | 9.4   | 9.6   | 9.7   | 9.8   | 9.8   | 9.5   | 9.6   | 9.6   | 9.5   |
| FINANCE                         | 5.3   | 5.3   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.6   | 5.6   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.5   |
| DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS         | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.5   | 4.6   | 4.5   |
| COMMERCIAL BANKS                | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.4   | 3.4   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   |
| INSURANCE                       | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.3   |
| INSURANCE CARRIERS              | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   |
| INSURANCE AGENTS                | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.4   |
| REAL ESTATE                     | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |

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|---------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| TRADE                           | 36.8 | 36.0 | 36.7 | 37.2 | 38.3 | 39.9 | 40.2 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 39.8 | 39.8 | 39.7 | 36.8 |
| WHOLESALE TRADE                 | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.1  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.2  |
| WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS       | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  |
| MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS           | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.2  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  |
| MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT            | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.6  | 0.4  | 0.5  | 0.5  |
| WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS    | 2.4  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.3  |
| GROCERIES & RELATED             | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  |
| PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS   | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.5  | 0.4  |
| MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.6  |
| RETAIL TRADE                    | 32.5 | 32.4 | 32.5 | 33.0 | 34.2 | 35.8 | 36.1 | 36.5 | 35.8 | 35.6 | 35.6 | 35.5 | 34.0 |
| BLDG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  |
| GENERAL MERCHANDISE             | 5.0  | 4.8  | 4.7  | 4.7  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.9  | 5.0  | 5.1  | 5.4  | 5.4  | 5.0  |
| DEPARTMENT STORES               | 3.1  | 2.9  | 3.0  | 2.9  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.1  | 3.1  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.1  |
| FOOD STORES                     | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  |
| AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS              | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.7  |
| NEW/USED CAR DEALER             | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  |
| GAS STATIONS                    | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 1.8  | 1.8  |
| APPAREL & ACCESSORY             | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  |
| FURNITURE, HOME FURN, EQUIPMENT | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.7  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  |
| EATING & DRINKING PLACES        | 12.7 | 12.8 | 13.1 | 13.2 | 13.9 | 15.0 | 15.2 | 15.4 | 14.9 | 14.3 | 13.8 | 13.7 | 14.0 |
| MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL            | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.4  | 4.5  | 4.8  | 4.9  | 5.0  | 4.9  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 5.0  | 4.7  |
| DRUG STORES                     | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  |
| MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS    | 1.8  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.3  | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.1  | 2.3  | 2.1  |
| SERVICES                        | 48.9 | 49.0 | 48.8 | 49.0 | 50.3 | 51.7 | 52.7 | 53.4 | 53.6 | 52.1 | 51.1 | 51.7 | 51.1 |
| HOTELS & OTHER LODGING          | 3.0  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.2  | 3.8  | 5.0  | 5.6  | 5.6  | 5.2  | 4.8  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.2  |
| PERSONAL SERVICES               | 2.2  | 2.2  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  |
| BUSINESS SERVICES               | 3.5  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.9  | 4.0  | 4.3  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.0  |
| AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING    | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.7  |
| AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES     | 2.8  | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 3.2  | 3.2  | 3.4  | 3.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.8  | 2.9  |
| HEALTH SERVICES                 | 21.0 | 21.7 | 22.1 | 22.2 | 22.4 | 22.6 | 22.7 | 22.8 | 22.7 | 22.6 | 22.5 | 22.5 | 22.4 |
| NURSING & PERSONAL CARE         | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.6  | 3.7  |
| HOSPITALS                       | 11.6 | 11.4 | 11.7 | 11.8 | 11.9 | 12.0 | 12.1 | 12.1 | 12.1 | 12.0 | 12.0 | 12.1 | 11.9 |
| LEGAL SERVICES                  | 1.5  | 1.4  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  |
| EDUCATIONAL SERVICES            | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.4  | 1.1  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.1  | 1.4  | 1.5  | 1.4  | 1.3  |
| SOCIAL SERVICES                 | 5.0  | 5.0  | 5.1  | 5.2  | 5.3  | 5.1  | 5.1  | 5.2  | 5.5  | 5.6  | 5.5  | 5.6  | 5.3  |
| INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY             | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 1.8  |
| RESIDENTIAL CARE                | 1.0  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  |
| MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS        | 4.7  | 4.7  | 4.0  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.4  | 4.3  | 4.3  | 4.5  | 4.3  |
| ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT        | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  |
| ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS           | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  |
| ACCOUNTING, AUDITING            | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  |
| TOTAL GOVERNMENT                | 36.1 | 36.8 | 36.0 | 36.1 | 36.5 | 36.9 | 37.7 | 37.3 | 36.7 | 36.0 | 36.1 | 37.0 | 37.1 |
| TOTAL FEDERAL GOVERNMENT        | 5.0  | 5.0  | 4.9  | 5.0  | 5.1  | 5.3  | 5.4  | 5.4  | 5.2  | 5.0  | 4.9  | 4.8  | 5.1  |
| TOTAL STATE GOVERNMENT          | 10.7 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.8 | 10.6 | 10.4 | 8.9  | 9.2  | 10.2 | 10.7 | 10.9 | 10.5 | 10.4 |
| STATE EDUCATION                 | 5.6  | 5.6  | 5.5  | 5.5  | 5.4  | 5.2  | 3.7  | 4.0  | 5.0  | 5.5  | 5.7  | 5.4  | 5.2  |
| TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT          | 22.4 | 23.0 | 23.3 | 23.3 | 23.8 | 21.2 | 10.4 | 17.7 | 21.3 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 22.3 | 21.6 |
| LOCAL EDUCATION                 | 16.2 | 16.9 | 17.1 | 17.1 | 17.5 | 14.5 | 6.6  | 10.4 | 14.0 | 16.2 | 16.1 | 16.5 | 15.3 |

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| NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS     | 139.2 | 140.5 | 142.0 | 145.2 | 148.2 | 149.0 | 140.8 | 143.9 | 147.0 | 147.9 | 147.7 | 148.0 | 145.0 |
| TOTAL PRIVATE                   | 102.5 | 102.7 | 103.5 | 105.7 | 108.5 | 111.5 | 110.4 | 112.2 | 111.0 | 109.0 | 108.9 | 109.5 | 108.0 |
| GOODS PRODUCING                 | 5.6   | 5.5   | 5.6   | 5.7   | 6.0   | 6.0   | 6.1   | 6.3   | 6.2   | 6.3   | 5.9   | 6.0   | 5.9   |
| PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING       | 96.9  | 97.2  | 97.9  | 100.0 | 102.5 | 105.5 | 104.3 | 105.9 | 104.8 | 103.3 | 103.0 | 103.5 | 102.1 |
| MINING                          | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.6   |
| METAL MINING                    | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   |
| GOLD & SILVER ORES              | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| COAL MINING                     | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| OIL & GAS EXTRACTION            | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   |
| NONMETALLIC MINERALS            | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| CONSTRUCTION                    | 0.9   | 0.9   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS    | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   |
| HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS  | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   |
| SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS       | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.6   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   |
| MANUFACTURING                   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.5   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 4.2   |
| DURABLE GOODS                   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.9   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   |
| LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS          | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   |
| LOGGING                         | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.1   |
| SAWMILLS & PLANING              | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   |
| STONE, CLAY & GLASS             | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.3   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES        | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   | 0.1   |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                | 2.2   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.5   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS         | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.7   | 0.6   | 0.5   | 0.5   |
| PRINTING & PUBLISHING           | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   |
| TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES      | 4.9   | 4.9   | 4.9   | 5.1   | 5.2   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.6   | 5.5   | 5.3   |
| TRANSPORTATION                  | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.9   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.0   | 2.8   |
| LOCAL & INTERURBAN              | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.3   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   | 0.4   |
| TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE            | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.4   |
| COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES      | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   |
| COMMUNICATIONS                  | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   |
| TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS        | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   |
| ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY         | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| COMBINATION UTILITY             | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   |
| FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE | 8.7   | 8.9   | 8.9   | 9.0   | 9.1   | 9.3   | 9.2   | 9.4   | 9.4   | 9.2   | 9.3   | 9.2   | 9.1   |
| FINANCE                         | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.3   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   |
| DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS         | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.4   | 4.4   |
| COMMERCIAL BANKS                | 3.2   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.2   |
| INSURANCE                       | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.1   |
| INSURANCE CARRIERS              | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   |
| INSURANCE AGENTS                | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   |
| REAL ESTATE                     | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.6   | 1.6   |

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| TRADE                           | 35.2 | 35.0 | 35.4 | 36.1 | 37.7 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 40.0 | 39.3 | 38.2 | 38.3 | 38.7 | 37.6 |
| WHOLESALE TRADE                 | 3.9  | 3.9  | 3.9  | 4.0  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.6  | 4.2  |
| WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS       | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 1.9  |
| MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS           | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  |
| MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT            | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.4  | 0.5  |
| WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS    | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.2  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.3  | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.3  |
| GROCERIES & RELATED             | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  |
| PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS   | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  | 0.4  |
| MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.6  |
| RETAIL TRADE                    | 31.3 | 31.1 | 31.5 | 32.1 | 33.5 | 34.5 | 34.6 | 35.6 | 34.9 | 33.8 | 33.9 | 34.2 | 33.4 |
| BLDG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 0.9  |
| GENERAL MERCHANDISE             | 4.8  | 4.5  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 4.9  | 4.8  | 4.8  | 5.3  | 5.4  | 4.8  |
| DEPARTMENT STORES               | 3.0  | 2.9  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 3.1  | 3.1  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.0  | 3.1  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.1  |
| FOOD STORES                     | 4.3  | 4.2  | 4.3  | 4.4  | 4.6  | 4.7  | 4.8  | 5.0  | 4.9  | 4.9  | 4.8  | 4.9  | 4.7  |
| AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS              | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.7  | 2.8  | 2.7  | 2.6  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.6  |
| NEW/USED CAR DEALER             | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.7  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  |
| GAS STATIONS                    | 1.7  | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  |
| APPAREL & ACCESSORY             | 1.7  | 1.6  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 1.7  |
| FURNITURE, HOME FURN, EQUIPMENT | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.7  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.8  |
| EATING & DRINKING PLACES        | 12.4 | 12.7 | 12.9 | 13.4 | 13.7 | 14.5 | 14.6 | 14.9 | 14.6 | 13.9 | 13.5 | 13.3 | 13.7 |
| MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL            | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.0  | 4.1  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.4  | 4.5  | 4.4  | 4.2  | 4.2  | 4.5  | 4.3  |
| DRUG STORES                     | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  |
| MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS    | 1.8  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 1.8  | 2.0  | 1.9  |
| SERVICES                        | 48.1 | 48.4 | 48.7 | 49.8 | 50.5 | 52.0 | 50.9 | 51.1 | 50.7 | 50.4 | 49.8 | 50.1 | 50.0 |
| HOTELS & OTHER LODGING          | 3.2  | 3.3  | 3.3  | 3.6  | 3.9  | 4.8  | 5.2  | 6.1  | 4.8  | 4.1  | 3.6  | 3.6  | 4.0  |
| PERSONAL SERVICES               | 2.3  | 2.2  | 2.3  | 2.3  | 2.1  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.1  |
| BUSINESS SERVICES               | 3.3  | 3.2  | 3.3  | 3.4  | 3.7  | 3.8  | 3.7  | 3.9  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.5  | 3.5  | 3.6  |
| AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING    | 0.6  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.6  | 0.5  | 0.5  | 0.6  |
| AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES     | 2.4  | 2.4  | 2.5  | 2.5  | 2.7  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 3.0  | 2.9  | 2.9  | 2.8  | 2.8  | 2.7  |
| HEALTH SERVICES                 | 21.6 | 21.7 | 21.6 | 22.0 | 22.1 | 22.5 | 22.1 | 22.2 | 22.1 | 22.0 | 22.1 | 22.1 | 22.0 |
| NURSING & PERSONAL CARE         | 3.9  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.9  | 3.8  | 3.8  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.7  | 3.6  | 3.8  |
| HOSPITALS                       | 11.2 | 11.3 | 11.4 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 11.8 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 11.7 | 11.7 | 11.5 |
| LEGAL SERVICES                  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.4  | 1.4  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  |
| EDUCATIONAL SERVICES            | 1.5  | 1.6  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.2  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.2  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.4  |
| SOCIAL SERVICES                 | 5.0  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 4.7  | 4.5  | 4.5  | 4.7  | 4.9  | 5.0  | 5.0  | 4.9  |
| INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY             | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.7  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.6  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.5  | 1.6  |
| RESIDENTIAL CARE                | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  |
| MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS        | 4.6  | 4.6  | 4.5  | 4.7  | 4.7  | 4.8  | 4.4  | 4.5  | 4.6  | 4.6  | 4.6  | 4.7  | 4.6  |
| ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT        | 1.7  | 1.8  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 2.0  | 2.1  | 2.0  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 1.9  | 2.0  | 1.9  |
| ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS           | 0.3  | 0.2  | 0.2  | 0.2  | 0.2  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  | 0.3  |
| ACCOUNTING/AUDITING             | 0.9  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 1.0  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.9  | 0.8  | 0.9  | 0.8  | 0.8  | 0.9  | 0.9  |
| TOTAL GOVERNMENT                | 36.7 | 37.8 | 38.5 | 39.5 | 39.7 | 38.1 | 39.4 | 31.7 | 36.0 | 36.3 | 36.8 | 36.5 | 37.0 |
| TOTAL FEDERAL GOVERNMENT        | 5.0  | 5.0  | 5.1  | 5.8  | 5.9  | 5.9  | 6.2  | 5.9  | 5.7  | 5.5  | 5.2  | 5.4  | 5.6  |
| TOTAL STATE GOVERNMENT          | 0.8  | 10.4 | 10.5 | 10.5 | 10.3 | 10.0 | 8.4  | 8.8  | 9.7  | 10.5 | 10.6 | 10.1 | 10.0 |
| STATE EDUCATION                 | 5.1  | 5.6  | 5.7  | 5.6  | 5.4  | 5.0  | 3.3  | 3.6  | 4.7  | 5.5  | 5.9  | 5.1  | 5.0  |
| TOTAL LOCAL GOVERNMENT          | 21.9 | 22.4 | 22.9 | 23.2 | 23.5 | 22.2 | 15.8 | 17.2 | 20.6 | 22.3 | 23.0 | 23.0 | 21.6 |
| LOCAL EDUCATION                 | 10.1 | 10.4 | 10.8 | 17.0 | 17.2 | 16.0 | 8.5  | 9.5  | 13.9 | 15.8 | 16.4 | 16.7 | 14.9 |

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|                                      | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 182.1 | 181.3 | 182.3 | 188.8 | 192.0 | 200.7 | 203.8 | 205.1 | 202.7 | 198.0 | 198.7 | 198.8 | 194.1 |
| *GOODS PRODUCING                     | 20.5  | 20.1  | 25.4  | 26.6  | 29.1  | 31.3  | 32.3  | 32.9  | 32.0  | 32.3  | 31.4  | 30.2  | 29.7  |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING           | 155.6 | 155.2 | 156.9 | 160.0 | 162.9 | 169.4 | 171.5 | 172.2 | 170.7 | 165.7 | 167.3 | 168.6 | 164.4 |
| MINING                               | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.5   | 4.7   | 4.9   | 5.0   | 5.0   | 4.9   | 4.6   | 4.6   | 4.7   | 4.6   |
| *METAL MINING                        | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.8   |
| *GOLD & SILVER ORES                  | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| *COAL MINING                         | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 5.3   | 6.4   | 8.0   | 7.4   | 8.7   | 8.8   | 10.5  | 11.0  | 10.9  | 10.5  | 9.6   | 8.6   | 8.7   |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 1.8   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 2.0   | 2.3   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   |
| *HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS      | 1.0   | 1.2   | 1.5   | 2.2   | 2.7   | 3.2   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 3.7   | 3.6   | 3.0   | 2.6   | 2.7   |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.7   | 3.2   | 3.7   | 4.1   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.4   | 4.3   | 4.2   | 3.8   | 3.7   |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 18.4  | 18.1  | 14.8  | 14.7  | 15.7  | 18.5  | 18.6  | 18.9  | 18.0  | 18.0  | 18.0  | 18.0  | 18.0  |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 11.1  | 10.8  | 8.7   | 8.8   | 10.7  | 11.4  | 11.7  | 11.8  | 11.6  | 11.4  | 11.3  | 11.1  | 11.0  |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 8.6   | 8.3   | 6.3   | 6.3   | 6.9   | 7.1   | 7.1   | 7.0   | 6.9   | 6.8   | 6.7   | 6.6   | 6.6   |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                  | 4.0   | 3.8   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.6   | 4.0   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 3.8   | 3.6   | 3.7   |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 0.6   | 0.6   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 5.3   | 5.3   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.0   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.1   |
| *FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS             | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 1.7   |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 17.8  | 17.6  | 17.7  | 18.0  | 18.1  | 18.3  | 18.1  | 18.2  | 18.1  | 18.4  | 18.4  | 18.1  | 18.1  |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 11.2  | 11.2  | 11.1  | 11.2  | 11.3  | 11.4  | 11.1  | 11.2  | 11.3  | 11.0  | 11.8  | 11.3  | 11.3  |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.1   | 5.1   | 5.2   | 6.3   | 5.4   | 6.4   | 6.3   | 6.4   | 6.6   | 5.3   | 6.3   |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 8.8   | 8.7   | 8.8   | 8.8   | 8.8   | 8.8   | 7.0   | 7.0   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   |
| *TELECOMMUNICATIONS                  | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 3.6   | 3.8   | 3.9   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.0   |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                 | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| *TRADE                               | 86.1  | 87.4  | 86.8  | 86.5  | 71.1  | 73.5  | 74.3  | 74.8  | 73.2  | 72.7  | 72.3  | 72.6  | 71.5  |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                     | 12.6  | 12.7  | 12.8  | 13.0  | 13.2  | 13.3  | 13.4  | 13.3  | 13.1  | 13.3  | 13.1  | 13.2  | 13.1  |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 6.5   | 6.5   | 6.6   | 6.6   | 6.7   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| *FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT                | 2.2   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS        | 6.3   | 6.2   | 6.3   | 6.4   | 6.5   | 6.5   | 6.6   | 6.5   | 6.6   | 6.7   | 6.7   | 6.6   | 6.6   |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                 | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 2.0   |
| *PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS       | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.1   |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS      | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| *RETAIL TRADE                        | 55.3  | 54.7  | 56.8  | 56.3  | 57.8  | 60.5  | 60.8  | 61.3  | 60.1  | 60.4  | 60.2  | 59.7  | 60.4  |
| *B.D.G. MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES   | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.6   |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 9.4   | 9.1   | 9.1   | 9.1   | 9.3   | 9.3   | 9.3   | 9.4   | 9.4   | 9.4   | 9.4   | 9.4   | 9.4   |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 4.1   | 3.9   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 4.0   | 3.9   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 6.1   | 6.0   | 6.0   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.6   | 6.7   | 6.7   | 6.7   | 6.7   | 6.7   | 6.7   | 6.7   |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 6.8   | 6.8   | 6.8   | 7.0   | 7.1   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.5   | 7.4   | 7.4   | 7.3   | 7.2   | 7.2   |
| *NEW USED CAR DEALERS                | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.2   | 3.4   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.4   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                 | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 1.8   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 1.8   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.1   |
| *FURNITURE, HOME/FURN. EQUIPMENT     | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 20.7  | 20.6  | 21.4  | 21.7  | 22.5  | 23.9  | 24.1  | 24.1  | 23.4  | 22.7  | 22.1  | 22.0  | 22.5  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 6.1   | 6.3   | 6.3   | 6.4   | 6.3   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.6   | 6.1   |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 2.5   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 2.9   | 3.1   | 2.8   |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 10.2  | 10.2  | 10.4  | 10.8  | 10.7  | 11.0  | 11.1  | 11.1  | 10.9  | 10.8  | 10.8  | 10.9  | 10.7  |
| *FINANCE                             | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   |
| *DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS             | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   |
| *INSURANCE                           | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                  | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   |
| *SERVICES                            | 50.5  | 50.7  | 50.3  | 51.9  | 53.0  | 56.3  | 58.0  | 58.3  | 57.9  | 58.5  | 58.8  | 58.5  | 58.0  |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 5.0   | 5.0   | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.8   | 7.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 7.8   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 5.5   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 6.0   | 6.1   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.2   |
| *AUTO & MISC. REPAIR & PARKING       | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 3.0   | 2.8   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.0   |
| *AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES         | 4.2   | 3.9   | 3.6   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 5.2   | 5.5   | 5.9   | 5.9   | 5.4   | 4.6   | 4.8   | 4.7   |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                     | 22.1  | 22.2  | 22.4  | 22.7  | 23.1  | 23.4  | 23.5  | 23.6  | 23.4  | 23.2  | 23.3  | 23.3  | 23.0  |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.7   | 3.7   | 3.7   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.7   | 3.7   | 3.7   | 3.7   |
| *HOSPITALS                           | 12.5  | 12.8  | 12.7  | 12.9  | 12.9  | 13.1  | 13.2  | 13.3  | 13.2  | 13.1  | 13.1  | 13.1  | 13.0  |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                      | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                     | 0.1   | 0.2   | 0.2   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3   |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS            | 5.4   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.4   |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT            | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.7   | 3.7   | 3.8   |
| *ENGINEERS ARCHITECTS                | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 0.9   | 0.6   | 1.1   |
| *ACCOUNTING/AUDITING                 | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   |

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# STATEWIDE AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS 1991 ANNUAL MONTANA INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT

(in dollars)

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|                                      | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | MAY    | JUN    | JUL    | AUG    | SEP    | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | AVG    |
|--------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 261.66 | 295.38 | 294.18 | 296.72 | 303.38 | 314.40 | 306.83 | 314.90 | 318.47 | 312.66 | 312.66 | 312.66 | 306.20 |
| *GOODS PRODUCING                     | 464.84 | 462.89 | 478.85 | 473.63 | 500.52 | 516.50 | 506.63 | 521.96 | 527.07 | 524.50 | 519.83 | 522.14 | 508.34 |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING           | 260.78 | 263.96 | 263.91 | 267.40 | 266.27 | 276.90 | 271.96 | 275.10 | 276.33 | 272.78 | 273.16 | 274.97 | 270.82 |
| MINING                               | 576.83 | 576.73 | 585.08 | 582.12 | 594.00 | 598.26 | 591.93 | 600.34 | 590.52 | 598.16 | 596.76 | 620.74 | 594.81 |
| *METAL MINING                        | 577.77 | 589.26 | 583.74 | 585.20 | 594.26 | 594.96 | 583.98 | 596.47 | 587.53 | 586.96 | 584.88 | 597.84 | 587.96 |
| *GOLD & SILVER ORES                  | 584.48 | 676.30 | 571.84 | 567.42 | 594.16 | 587.00 | 575.20 | 579.86 | 560.49 | 578.50 | 568.68 | 573.50 | 572.88 |
| *COAL MINING                         | 735.56 | 756.76 | 756.48 | 775.87 | 789.38 | 823.26 | 785.18 | 800.82 | 802.55 | 786.07 | 780.40 | 844.58 | 795.36 |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 482.67 | 487.86 | 486.32 | 483.48 | 513.41 | 527.48 | 509.40 | 524.00 | 538.51 | 560.92 | 562.81 | 561.85 | 517.82 |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 544.85 | 557.59 | 559.89 | 526.00 | 546.98 | 564.76 | 551.80 | 556.34 | 590.77 | 542.51 | 564.00 | 577.68 | 550.86 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 486.24 | 502.86 | 490.47 | 490.31 | 558.04 | 528.12 | 549.11 | 573.38 | 578.96 | 542.81 | 562.50 | 557.03 | 556.88 |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 417.83 | 422.28 | 436.42 | 412.57 | 453.78 | 486.13 | 447.12 | 433.67 | 463.11 | 477.96 | 484.36 | 486.24 | 480.48 |
| *HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS      | 480.06 | 489.81 | 500.44 | 486.22 | 517.34 | 581.90 | 566.21 | 567.47 | 565.70 | 573.73 | 606.48 | 609.36 | 633.42 |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 484.34 | 564.36 | 567.47 | 536.74 | 574.66 | 588.90 | 564.70 | 576.50 | 597.67 | 566.56 | 604.01 | 567.86 | 586.13 |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 441.57 | 446.08 | 437.34 | 431.69 | 441.06 | 451.50 | 444.64 | 451.88 | 478.32 | 487.87 | 480.50 | 486.24 | 483.64 |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 439.43 | 452.87 | 450.47 | 428.01 | 424.83 | 467.41 | 441.98 | 455.74 | 467.87 | 481.13 | 445.21 | 453.96 | 465.00 |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 474.33 | 466.33 | 450.34 | 458.88 | 451.06 | 513.88 | 489.95 | 482.32 | 503.82 | 503.82 | 503.82 | 477.13 | 487.63 |
| *BAWLMILLS & PLANING                 | 484.48 | 527.82 | 507.04 | 501.73 | 478.56 | 535.48 | 476.00 | 462.37 | 522.81 | 529.89 | 513.93 | 533.92 | 502.08 |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 381.35 | 385.10 | 372.69 | 385.86 | 423.18 | 432.48 | 444.87 | 456.10 | 442.87 | 452.87 | 444.12 | 456.20 | 444.80 |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 478.92 | 500.19 | 484.08 | 516.26 | 490.04 | 476.11 | 502.44 | 476.55 | 465.30 | 414.86 | 481.03 | 481.43 | 454.81 |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 444.34 | 440.82 | 460.26 | 443.88 | 475.84 | 451.47 | 462.22 | 466.38 | 468.27 | 465.83 | 476.74 | 466.68 | 483.10 |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS              | 380.17 | 424.35 | 428.68 | 427.22 | 442.28 | 426.21 | 426.48 | 426.13 | 411.08 | 415.87 | 430.26 | 432.06 | 406.80 |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 286.25 | 282.74 | 286.92 | 310.38 | 310.58 | 304.33 | 301.95 | 301.38 | 310.73 | 307.62 | 307.78 | 305.01 | 305.01 |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 484.64 | 485.58 | 486.44 | 524.26 | 517.38 | 533.12 | 520.11 | 526.13 | 525.83 | 515.00 | 514.82 | 510.53 | 512.34 |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 481.00 | 486.29 | 470.81 | 496.70 | 484.05 | 506.96 | 506.86 | 510.00 | 506.40 | 495.75 | 484.83 | 467.42 | 462.18 |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                | 470.00 | 422.80 | 429.24 | 458.23 | 457.75 | 472.81 | 456.09 | 472.86 | 475.98 | 466.82 | 455.02 | 472.66 | 454.79 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 528.51 | 524.35 | 524.35 | 556.86 | 565.56 | 672.71 | 541.96 | 561.36 | 568.54 | 548.31 | 547.00 | 532.52 | 546.78 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                      | 445.71 | 426.70 | 423.80 | 429.72 | 421.20 | 441.96 | 456.10 | 442.87 | 452.87 | 454.31 | 444.12 | 456.20 | 444.80 |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 588.42 | 577.20 | 580.08 | 576.82 | 552.58 | 567.78 | 561.40 | 567.47 | 622.86 | 588.06 | 573.43 | 575.31 | 563.97 |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 352.12 | 360.72 | 360.11 | 358.73 | 345.97 | 364.22 | 359.81 | 317.63 | 314.02 | 312.56 | 322.80 | 306.45 | 318.81 |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                 | 581.27 | 569.84 | 569.84 | 587.50 | 562.05 | 703.82 | 623.17 | 641.07 | 614.84 | 621.98 | 634.32 | 604.87 | 634.07 |
| TRADE                                | 200.04 | 203.45 | 202.62 | 205.83 | 210.38 | 206.69 | 217.88 | 216.01 | 220.93 | 214.78 | 213.36 | 216.38 | 212.40 |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                     | 326.35 | 333.64 | 335.45 | 340.76 | 348.81 | 358.76 | 355.74 | 355.42 | 365.27 | 344.06 | 361.91 | 360.30 | 361.76 |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 320.34 | 326.52 | 327.30 | 376.38 | 364.51 | 368.66 | 381.26 | 367.85 | 402.04 | 381.54 | 366.56 | 367.01 | 361.76 |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 268.86 | 304.48 | 315.89 | 318.30 | 336.81 | 345.14 | 341.88 | 357.62 | 364.90 | 343.47 | 366.87 | 381.94 | 336.03 |
| *MACHINERY EQUIPMENT                 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 | 408.82 |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS        | 297.25 | 308.68 | 297.80 | 304.84 | 312.82 | 326.78 | 318.73 | 322.06 | 327.52 | 306.53 | 314.86 | 318.22 | 313.02 |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                 | 357.08 | 366.88 | 353.38 | 358.57 | 371.80 | 362.28 | 362.34 | 377.23 | 379.88 | 361.84 | 369.07 | 362.28 | 369.17 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS      | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 | 247.50 |
| *RETAIL TRADE                        | 170.84 | 172.90 | 172.38 | 174.52 | 176.37 | 186.28 | 186.66 | 186.18 | 186.71 | 186.18 | 182.18 | 186.78 | 182.00 |
| *FRESH MATERIALS GARDEN SUPPLIES     | 246.25 | 252.62 | 257.03 | 264.34 | 273.05 | 272.58 | 282.03 | 278.13 | 284.43 | 288.54 | 286.68 | 287.11 | 271.96 |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 155.35 | 158.29 | 162.82 | 166.42 | 165.53 | 166.46 | 181.10 | 176.98 | 180.74 | 186.44 | 182.27 | 184.48 | 183.71 |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 185.32 | 172.59 | 176.68 | 181.23 | 178.58 | 182.54 | 201.19 | 183.29 | 184.63 | 180.33 | 173.23 | 208.02 | 183.30 |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 216.08 | 214.30 | 217.58 | 220.81 | 221.12 | 236.84 | 229.52 | 233.80 | 227.19 | 223.21 | 216.88 | 226.86 | 224.06 |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 272.43 | 278.61 | 275.35 | 276.00 | 282.23 | 301.96 | 301.16 | 301.00 | 306.33 | 298.66 | 291.21 | 283.72 | 286.48 |
| *NEW USED CAR DEALERS                | 403.27 | 403.48 | 402.84 | 384.16 | 404.93 | 454.32 | 457.72 | 451.22 | 480.34 | 432.25 | 420.36 | 369.64 | 424.08 |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 153.74 | 153.88 | 154.50 | 155.88 | 168.70 | 170.23 | 167.08 | 166.33 | 189.06 | 171.80 | 186.17 | 171.48 | 184.88 |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                 | 126.05 | 131.27 | 127.62 | 126.87 | 138.50 | 147.48 | 150.28 | 142.83 | 143.87 | 140.50 | 143.51 | 156.04 | 140.88 |
| *FURNITURE, HOMEFURN. EQUIPMENT      | 250.33 | 252.60 | 242.24 | 246.06 | 258.83 | 282.81 | 289.65 | 308.00 | 307.87 | 322.08 | 311.42 | 324.51 | 282.61 |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 106.48 | 109.58 | 110.42 | 112.48 | 116.03 | 124.96 | 126.98 | 128.78 | 124.00 | 118.98 | 114.91 | 118.98 | 118.07 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 175.09 | 178.91 | 172.84 | 170.83 | 160.64 | 156.02 | 186.82 | 176.14 | 179.14 | 176.81 | 181.54 | 186.05 | 177.50 |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 182.93 | 202.18 | 201.83 | 198.94 | 184.98 | 222.40 | 222.08 | 212.40 | 215.33 | 208.96 | 214.78 | 221.47 | 207.48 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 178.13 | 182.67 | 180.70 | 157.08 | 154.23 | 150.65 | 156.84 | 173.86 | 167.18 | 167.18 | 170.50 | 174.02 | 174.44 |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 310.28 | 310.90 | 312.82 | 314.24 | 312.78 | 325.06 | 313.58 | 312.75 | 322.96 | 319.80 | 319.80 | 335.81 | 316.44 |
| *FINANCE                             | 325.80 | 326.84 | 328.33 | 326.32 | 320.20 | 348.38 | 327.94 | 328.50 | 348.33 | 329.03 | 327.97 | 348.52 | 333.41 |
| *INSURANCE                           | 284.26 | 286.77 | 281.38 | 280.84 | 283.55 | 281.96 | 285.36 | 287.41 | 281.96 | 284.26 | 283.16 | 278.00 | 285.84 |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 261.38 | 267.14 | 266.08 | 268.08 | 281.60 | 283.27 | 281.60 | 281.60 | 281.60 | 281.60 | 281.60 | 281.60 | 281.60 |
| *INSURANCE                           | 382.16 | 384.48 | 385.82 | 390.21 | 382.02 | 387.38 | 378.70 | 387.48 | 368.68 | 368.06 | 368.36 | 419.32 | 363.31 |
| *FINANCE CARRIERS                    | 325.80 | 332.52 | 309.04 | 326.33 | 323.92 | 325.28 | 324.31 | 325.92 | 326.98 | 332.58 | 339.81 | 344.48 | 329.73 |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 415.15 | 420.00 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 | 415.15 |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 185.95 | 172.22 | 169.78 | 165.23 | 184.80 | 204.04 | 211.52 | 206.70 | 219.48 | 210.74 | 256.29 | 211.44 | 202.34 |
| SERVICES                             | 253.88 | 255.36 | 257.18 | 255.55 | 253.74 | 282.03 | 254.84 | 282.38 | 296.67 | 261.48 | 263.91 | 267.73 | 259.88 |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 186.25 | 184.74 | 183.71 | 184.18 | 151.50 | 170.83 | 171.68 | 179.65 | 183.48 | 171.04 | 167.12 | 170.50 | 168.81 |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 207.04 | 212.53 | 208.33 | 217.14 | 233.77 | 232.71 | 240.63 | 241.15 | 230.51 | 229.26 | 227.77 | 226.79 | 225.10 |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 189.54 | 184.44 | 205.82 | 187.27 | 154.68 | 180.83 | 182.27 | 186.52 | 186.37 | 201.66 | 201.66 | 201.66 | 201.66 |
| *AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING        | 312.38 | 309.80 | 305.24 | 294.58 | 304.85 | 322.31 | 306.45 | 317.80 | 313.58 | 310.86 | 317.18 | 324.18 | 311.05 |
| *AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES         | 126.74 | 126.59 | 126.42 | 118.37 | 138.82 | 157.48 | 182.02 | 160.02 | 169.34 | 148.82 | 138.11 | 134.07 | 144.73 |
| *REPAIR MAINTENANCE                  | 211.14 | 206.76 | 208.43 | 209.17 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 | 200.78 |
| *AMUSEMENT                           | 212.27 | 207.57 | 202.68 | 198.42 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 | 207.57 |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 340.81 | 344.96 | 346.36 | 352.16 | 353.68 | 356.68 | 381.13 | 380.93 | 384.24 | 384.18 | 371.21 | 379.88 | 356.56 |
| *HOSPITALS                           | 374.78 | 377.15 | 381.29 | 382.39 | 378.78 | 417.00 | 380.63 | 369.64 | 414.67 | 383.75 | 401.96 | 408.81 | 380.88 |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                      | 156.85 | 154.40 | 158.62 | 152.16 | 158.23 | 178.18 | 177.38 | 186.52 | 180.67 | 180.67 | 180.67 | 180.67 | 180.67 |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 131.04 | 142.52 | 141.52 | 127.86 | 128.96 | 156.06 | 156.06 | 156.06 | 156.06 | 171.26 | 183.86 | 172.48 | 173.79 |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 114.01 | 196.53 | 204.05 | 193.82 | 185.85 | 206.22 | 206.96 | 201.71 | 225.00 | 222.36 | 216.78 | 227.19 | 210.22 |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION             | 223.32 | 228.01 | 233.82 | 237.40 | 232.80 | 263.96 | 257.02 | 257.40 | 242.24 | 212.24 | 215.08 | 201.10 | 235.08 |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT            | 473.18 | 481.77 | 486.27 | 503.07 | 483.13 | 483.81 | 470.21 | 478.71 | 478.71 | 467.12 | 467.12 | 467.12 | 478.00 |
| *ENGINEERS/ARCHITECTS                | 476.83 | 474.38 | 47     |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

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|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 8.28  | 8.28  | 8.28  | 8.38  | 8.48  | 8.47  | 8.44  | 8.45  | 8.68  | 8.83  | 8.71  | 8.71  | 8.48  |
| *GOODS PRODUCING                     | 12.59 | 12.81 | 12.73 | 12.74 | 12.90 | 13.02 | 13.17 | 13.24 | 13.48 | 13.12 | 13.39 | 13.32 | 13.08 |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING           | 8.55  | 8.57  | 8.56  | 8.71  | 8.71  | 8.68  | 8.58  | 8.57  | 8.78  | 8.77  | 8.84  | 8.87  | 8.88  |
| MINING                               | 14.55 | 14.75 | 15.04 | 15.12 | 14.91 | 14.87 | 14.87 | 15.12 | 14.80 | 14.77 | 14.83 | 15.03 | 14.80 |
| *METAL MINING                        | 13.70 | 13.98 | 14.10 | 14.13 | 14.04 | 14.13 | 13.87 | 14.14 | 13.81 | 13.83 | 13.87 | 13.98 | 13.86 |
| *GOLD & SILVER ORES                  | 14.02 | 14.17 | 14.22 | 14.18 | 14.14 | 14.58 | 14.35 | 14.22 | 14.08 | 14.72 | 15.01 | 15.55 | 14.50 |
| *COAL MINING                         | 16.82 | 16.84 | 16.84 | 16.11 | 16.93 | 16.18 | 16.84 | 16.14 | 16.30 | 16.79 | 16.81 | 16.85 | 16.15 |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 13.01 | 13.16 | 13.48 | 13.87 | 13.37 | 13.22 | 13.37 | 13.54 | 13.28 | 13.16 | 13.01 | 13.22 | 13.28 |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 14.81 | 14.78 | 15.06 | 14.78 | 14.74 | 15.02 | 15.03 | 14.81 | 14.32 | 14.56 | 15.04 | 15.01 | 14.84 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 14.69 | 14.33 | 14.82 | 14.88 | 14.71 | 14.85 | 14.83 | 14.86 | 15.21 | 14.72 | 14.57 | 14.83 | 14.85 |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 12.85 | 12.53 | 12.70 | 12.54 | 12.57 | 12.43 | 11.98 | 11.79 | 12.86 | 12.03 | 12.56 | 12.80 | 12.41 |
| *HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS      | 14.38 | 13.87 | 14.69 | 14.78 | 15.06 | 15.00 | 15.00 | 15.03 | 15.12 | 15.22 | 16.84 | 17.10 | 15.81 |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 16.07 | 15.72 | 16.92 | 15.88 | 15.33 | 15.00 | 15.15 | 15.22 | 15.81 | 15.05 | 15.15 | 16.11 | 15.65 |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 11.41 | 11.34 | 11.33 | 11.18 | 11.31 | 11.46 | 11.70 | 11.74 | 12.12 | 11.87 | 11.77 | 11.88 | 11.87 |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 11.21 | 11.24 | 10.84 | 10.84 | 10.84 | 11.29 | 11.48 | 11.44 | 11.78 | 11.87 | 11.82 | 11.80 | 11.54 |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 11.77 | 11.85 | 11.43 | 11.41 | 11.42 | 12.02 | 12.05 | 11.83 | 12.44 | 12.38 | 12.21 | 12.13 | 11.81 |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                  | 11.98 | 11.83 | 11.71 | 11.79 | 11.50 | 11.75 | 11.87 | 11.64 | 12.48 | 12.47 | 12.48 | 12.19 | 11.61 |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 8.74  | 8.71  | 8.84  | 10.03 | 8.83  | 8.81  | 12.11 | 12.53 | 13.04 | 12.64 | 13.00 | 13.37 | 11.43 |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 12.28 | 12.30 | 12.34 | 12.44 | 12.18 | 12.18 | 12.12 | 12.39 | 12.38 | 12.31 | 12.38 | 12.32 | 12.37 |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 11.85 | 11.57 | 12.08 | 11.80 | 12.33 | 11.87 | 12.24 | 12.47 | 12.88 | 11.87 | 12.10 | 11.79 | 12.06 |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS              | 10.03 | 10.38 | 10.37 | 10.48 | 10.48 | 10.27 | 10.48 | 10.78 | 10.37 | 8.78  | 8.91  | 10.42 | 10.30 |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 8.18  | 8.18  | 8.40  | 8.50  | 8.42  | 8.25  | 8.22  | 8.42  | 8.37  | 8.62  | 8.96  | 9.17  | 8.36  |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 13.32 | 13.24 | 13.30 | 13.78 | 13.78 | 13.87 | 13.58 | 13.58 | 13.78 | 13.77 | 13.78 | 13.80 | 13.86 |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 12.77 | 12.78 | 12.87 | 13.15 | 13.21 | 13.11 | 13.20 | 13.27 | 13.30 | 13.22 | 13.18 | 12.92 | 13.08 |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                | 11.81 | 12.08 | 12.37 | 12.82 | 12.68 | 12.47 | 12.53 | 12.78 | 12.78 | 12.68 | 12.48 | 12.18 | 12.48 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 14.23 | 14.92 | 13.84 | 14.77 | 14.86 | 14.81 | 14.18 | 14.03 | 14.51 | 14.70 | 14.78 | 14.81 | 14.40 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                      | 12.45 | 12.21 | 12.52 | 12.80 | 12.80 | 12.80 | 11.58 | 12.18 | 12.21 | 12.44 | 12.71 | 12.84 | 12.88 |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 14.88 | 14.80 | 14.00 | 14.00 | 14.38 | 14.23 | 14.32 | 14.24 | 14.78 | 14.80 | 15.17 | 15.10 | 14.85 |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 15.04 | 15.18 | 14.98 | 15.33 | 15.29 | 15.28 | 15.48 | 15.21 | 15.99 | 16.12 | 16.08 | 15.86 | 16.77 |
| *WATER SUPPLY                        | 15.71 | 15.42 | 15.12 | 17.12 | 17.12 | 17.12 | 17.12 | 15.96 | 16.98 | 16.72 | 16.71 | 16.98 | 16.30 |
| TRADE                                | 7.04  | 7.09  | 7.06  | 7.14  | 7.23  | 7.17  | 7.18  | 7.14  | 7.34  | 7.38  | 7.33  | 7.36  | 7.20  |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                     | 6.41  | 6.41  | 6.37  | 6.44  | 6.83  | 6.87  | 6.80  | 6.95  | 6.80  | 6.72  | 6.83  | 6.84  | 6.84  |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 8.53  | 8.52  | 8.57  | 8.70  | 8.81  | 8.98  | 10.11 | 8.74  | 10.23 | 8.81  | 10.04 | 8.98  | 8.84  |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 7.58  | 7.70  | 7.68  | 7.84  | 8.21  | 8.46  | 8.72  | 8.78  | 8.90  | 8.83  | 8.81  | 8.92  | 8.53  |
| *FURNITURE, EQUIPMENT                | 10.81 | 10.80 | 10.82 | 10.80 | 11.07 | 10.88 | 11.58 | 11.58 | 11.58 | 11.58 | 11.58 | 11.58 | 10.83 |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS        | 6.29  | 6.27  | 6.11  | 6.13  | 6.31  | 6.42  | 6.43  | 6.39  | 6.80  | 6.49  | 6.80  | 6.70  | 6.40  |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                 | 10.82 | 11.03 | 10.84 | 10.74 | 11.00 | 11.08 | 10.98 | 10.92 | 10.98 | 10.74 | 10.78 | 10.78 | 10.88 |
| *PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS       | 7.48  | 7.31  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  | 7.48  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS      | 6.05  | 7.81  | 6.31  | 6.81  | 6.82  | 6.04  | 6.18  | 6.08  | 6.84  | 6.38  | 6.59  | 6.36  | 6.88  |
| RETAIL TRADE                         | 8.32  | 8.36  | 8.36  | 8.44  | 8.31  | 8.47  | 8.47  | 8.48  | 8.81  | 8.58  | 8.80  | 8.87  | 8.68  |
| *FLOOR MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES    | 7.28  | 7.28  | 7.22  | 7.30  | 7.34  | 7.20  | 7.25  | 7.25  | 7.42  | 7.84  | 7.69  | 7.34  | 7.36  |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 6.08  | 6.15  | 6.16  | 6.28  | 6.27  | 6.23  | 6.31  | 6.20  | 6.15  | 6.17  | 6.01  | 6.18  | 6.18  |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 6.31  | 6.44  | 6.47  | 6.58  | 6.58  | 6.58  | 6.54  | 6.53  | 6.44  | 6.51  | 6.29  | 6.55  | 6.50  |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 7.40  | 7.41  | 7.35  | 7.44  | 7.42  | 7.31  | 7.15  | 7.30  | 7.40  | 7.37  | 7.38  | 7.63  | 7.37  |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 8.00  | 8.13  | 8.25  | 8.18  | 8.45  | 8.37  | 8.73  | 8.80  | 8.68  | 8.50  | 8.54  | 8.52  | 8.48  |
| *NEW/USED CAR DEALERS                | 11.14 | 11.43 | 11.72 | 10.88 | 11.84 | 12.62 | 12.63 | 12.41 | 13.18 | 12.21 | 12.08 | 11.81 | 12.05 |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 5.14  | 5.14  | 5.15  | 5.29  | 5.43  | 5.37  | 5.39  | 5.43  | 5.43  | 5.50  | 5.48  | 5.64  | 5.37  |
| *FURNITURE, HOMEFURN. EQUIPMENT      | 5.80  | 5.81  | 6.81  | 6.78  | 5.58  | 5.78  | 5.78  | 5.54  | 5.72  | 5.82  | 5.85  | 5.70  | 5.68  |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 7.75  | 8.00  | 7.98  | 7.89  | 8.07  | 6.15  | 6.13  | 6.00  | 6.90  | 6.39  | 6.38  | 6.71  | 6.66  |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 6.83  | 6.72  | 6.78  | 6.83  | 6.86  | 6.46  | 6.08  | 6.01  | 6.85  | 6.04  | 6.04  | 6.08  | 6.44  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 6.39  | 6.38  | 6.21  | 6.18  | 6.39  | 6.29  | 6.39  | 6.58  | 6.22  | 6.22  | 6.28  | 6.44  | 6.25  |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 7.08  | 7.22  | 7.16  | 7.33  | 7.09  | 7.34  | 7.62  | 6.01  | 7.25  | 7.60  | 7.72  | 7.98  | 7.28  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 6.02  | 6.01  | 5.58  | 5.81  | 5.82  | 6.78  | 6.95  | 5.77  | 6.78  | 6.79  | 6.78  | 6.88  | 6.78  |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 8.84  | 8.86  | 8.07  | 8.03  | 8.04  | 6.83  | 6.71  | 6.77  | 6.87  | 6.86  | 6.83  | 6.15  | 6.82  |
| *FINANCE                             | 8.00  | 8.93  | 8.07  | 8.07  | 8.17  | 8.12  | 8.98  | 8.00  | 8.10  | 8.99  | 8.08  | 8.22  | 8.08  |
| *PROPERTY INSTITUTIONS               | 7.21  | 7.21  | 7.24  | 7.37  | 7.42  | 7.37  | 7.42  | 7.31  | 7.34  | 7.42  | 7.34  | 7.31  | 7.34  |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 7.24  | 7.22  | 7.22  | 7.33  | 7.35  | 7.37  | 7.29  | 7.31  | 7.36  | 7.21  | 7.23  | 7.38  | 7.29  |
| *INSURANCE                           | 10.71 | 10.17 | 10.18 | 10.13 | 10.18 | 10.01 | 6.81  | 10.17 | 10.10 | 10.08 | 10.32 | 10.73 | 10.17 |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                  | 8.29  | 8.38  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.37  | 8.34  | 8.38  | 8.40  | 8.38  | 8.42  | 8.48  | 8.98  | 8.38  |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 11.18 | 11.09 | 11.32 | 11.21 | 11.25 | 10.87 | 10.83 | 11.20 | 11.10 | 11.08 | 11.48 | 12.07 | 11.22 |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 6.39  | 6.47  | 7.24  | 7.16  | 6.95  | 6.87  | 6.84  | 6.38  | 6.81  | 6.89  | 6.86  | 6.87  | 6.70  |
| *SERVICES                            | 8.40  | 8.40  | 8.48  | 8.48  | 8.48  | 8.48  | 8.38  | 8.41  | 8.83  | 8.83  | 8.71  | 8.86  | 8.52  |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 8.65  | 8.41  | 6.42  | 6.20  | 8.08  | 8.25  | 8.25  | 8.27  | 8.48  | 8.43  | 8.54  | 8.86  | 8.37  |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 6.47  | 6.48  | 6.48  | 6.48  | 6.82  | 6.82  | 6.73  | 6.84  | 6.84  | 6.57  | 6.68  | 6.70  | 6.84  |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 7.73  | 8.31  | 8.06  | 8.48  | 8.48  | 8.78  | 8.90  | 8.90  | 8.90  | 8.90  | 8.83  | 8.91  | 8.78  |
| *AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING        | 8.33  | 8.82  | 8.55  | 8.44  | 8.54  | 8.30  | 8.35  | 8.50  | 8.71  | 8.71  | 8.88  | 8.83  | 8.57  |
| *AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES         | 8.12  | 5.81  | 6.86  | 6.07  | 8.27  | 8.46  | 8.29  | 8.35  | 9.72  | 8.43  | 8.47  | 8.70  | 8.32  |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                     | 8.29  | 8.31  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  | 8.33  |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 8.42  | 8.28  | 8.38  | 8.38  | 8.47  | 6.48  | 6.58  | 6.74  | 7.03  | 6.88  | 7.03  | 7.02  | 6.85  |
| *HOSPITALS                           | 10.88 | 10.88 | 10.88 | 10.77 | 10.75 | 10.58 | 10.78 | 10.71 | 10.58 | 10.87 | 10.89 | 11.22 | 10.80 |
| *LONG TERM SERVICES                  | 10.02 | 11.08 | 11.02 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 | 11.08 |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                     | 8.42  | 8.38  | 8.29  | 8.34  | 8.31  | 6.58  | 6.38  | 6.45  | 6.86  | 6.80  | 6.84  | 7.01  | 6.53  |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 8.37  | 8.42  | 8.18  | 8.08  | 8.04  | 6.88  | 6.54  | 6.53  | 6.98  | 6.68  | 6.71  | 7.01  | 6.55  |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 7.11  | 6.81  | 6.88  | 6.77  | 6.65  | 6.62  | 6.82  | 6.88  | 7.06  | 7.29  | 6.85  | 6.86  | 6.87  |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS            | 7.57  | 7.58  | 7.62  | 7.78  | 8.15  | 8.07  | 7.88  | 7.88  | 7.88  | 6.07  | 6.24  | 7.88  | 8.03  |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT            | 12.01 | 12.29 | 12.33 | 12.64 | 12.36 | 12.33 | 12.84 | 12.48 | 12.48 | 12.84 | 12.87 | 12.72 | 12.64 |
| *ENGINEERS ARCHITECTS                | 12.21 | 12.65 | 12.62 | 12.47 | 12.44 | 12.33 | 12.88 | 12.58 | 12.79 | 12.74 | 12.84 | 12.84 | 12.64 |
| *ACCOUNTING/AUDITING                 | 8.78  | 10.18 | 10.28 | 10.40 | 10.98 | 10.48 | 10.70 | 10.38 | 10.87 | 10.58 | 11.14 | 10.66 | 10.41 |

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|                                      | JAN  | FEB  | MAR  | APR  | MAY  | JUN  | JUL  | AUG  | SEP  | OCT  | NOV  | DEC  | AVG  |
|--------------------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 31.5 | 31.6 | 31.7 | 31.8 | 32.0 | 32.2 | 32.8 | 33.3 | 32.9 | 32.6 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.3 |
| *CROPS PRICING                       | 31.1 | 31.7 | 32.2 | 32.6 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING           | 30.5 | 30.8 | 30.7 | 30.7 | 30.8 | 32.0 | 31.7 | 32.1 | 31.7 | 31.1 | 30.9 | 31.0 | 31.2 |
| MINING                               | 37.7 | 38.1 | 38.9 | 38.5 | 40.0 | 40.7 | 38.8 | 40.3 | 38.9 | 40.5 | 38.7 | 41.3 | 38.8 |
| *METAL MINING                        | 42.1 | 40.3 | 41.4 | 40.0 | 41.4 | 41.4 | 41.8 | 41.5 | 40.8 | 40.1 | 40.0 | 40.8 | 41.0 |
| *GOLD & SILVER ORES                  | 42.1 | 40.3 | 40.2 | 40.1 | 38.8 | 40.0 | 40.0 | 40.5 | 40.3 | 38.3 | 38.1 | 38.8 | 40.2 |
| *COAL MINING                         | 40.2 | 40.8 | 40.1 | 40.8 | 41.7 | 42.8 | 42.4 | 42.3 | 41.8 | 40.5 | 40.0 | 43.2 | 41.2 |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 37.1 | 37.0 | 36.3 | 36.1 | 36.4 | 38.8 | 36.1 | 36.7 | 40.4 | 41.8 | 40.5 | 42.6 | 38.0 |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 37.3 | 37.7 | 35.1 | 35.7 | 37.1 | 37.8 | 36.7 | 37.7 | 34.9 | 36.2 | 37.6 | 38.6 | 37.1 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 33.1 | 35.1 | 34.3 | 33.4 | 37.8 | 38.7 | 36.9 | 36.1 | 36.4 | 38.8 | 38.3 | 37.8 | 37.5 |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 32.8 | 33.7 | 34.8 | 32.8 | 38.1 | 37.5 | 37.8 | 36.8 | 36.1 | 38.7 | 37.0 | 36.6 | 36.3 |
| *HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS      | 32.0 | 36.3 | 34.3 | 33.1 | 38.7 | 41.0 | 41.8 | 41.9 | 40.5 | 42.4 | 40.7 | 40.9 | 38.8 |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 34.0 | 35.8 | 34.1 | 33.8 | 37.5 | 37.8 | 37.2 | 36.0 | 36.8 | 37.2 | 37.4 | 37.1 | 38.8 |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 37.7 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.7 | 38.0 | 40.2 | 38.2 | 39.3 | 38.3 | 40.1 | 35.7 | 38.3 | 38.2 |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 38.2 | 40.3 | 38.8 | 39.3 | 38.2 | 41.4 | 35.5 | 40.1 | 38.7 | 40.2 | 36.4 | 38.1 | 38.5 |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 40.3 | 41.8 | 38.4 | 40.2 | 38.5 | 42.8 | 38.0 | 41.1 | 40.5 | 40.7 | 38.1 | 40.2 | 40.4 |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                  | 42.3 | 44.8 | 43.3 | 42.7 | 41.7 | 45.4 | 41.4 | 41.8 | 41.9 | 42.3 | 41.2 | 43.6 | 42.7 |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 37.1 | 37.8 | 37.9 | 38.4 | 40.8 | 41.3 | 40.7 | 40.5 | 41.1 | 41.1 | 40.5 | 38.0 | 38.8 |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 38.0 | 40.5 | 38.3 | 41.5 | 40.2 | 38.7 | 38.5 | 38.8 | 38.2 | 41.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.7 |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 37.5 | 37.1 | 37.8 | 38.8 | 37.7 | 37.8 | 37.7 | 37.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS              | 38.9 | 41.0 | 41.3 | 40.8 | 42.2 | 41.8 | 40.8 | 38.4 | 38.8 | 45.0 | 43.8 | 45.0 | 41.8 |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 31.5 | 30.8 | 30.7 | 32.4 | 33.0 | 32.9 | 32.0 | 33.0 | 33.2 | 32.3 | 32.9 | 32.8 | 32.3 |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 36.4 | 36.9 | 36.8 | 36.1 | 37.6 | 38.0 | 36.3 | 36.8 | 36.2 | 37.4 | 37.4 | 37.8 | 37.7 |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 36.1 | 36.7 | 36.3 | 36.0 | 37.4 | 38.0 | 36.3 | 36.5 | 36.0 | 37.5 | 37.5 | 38.8 | 37.8 |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                | 34.4 | 36.0 | 34.7 | 36.8 | 36.1 | 37.0 | 36.4 | 37.0 | 37.3 | 36.8 | 36.7 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 37.0 | 37.4 | 37.7 | 38.3 | 37.9 | 38.2 | 38.2 | 38.3 | 38.8 | 37.3 | 37.1 | 36.7 | 37.9 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                      | 35.8 | 35.2 | 35.3 | 36.2 | 35.1 | 36.8 | 36.5 | 37.8 | 36.8 | 36.2 | 36.1 | 36.3 | 36.2 |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 36.4 | 36.0 | 36.3 | 38.7 | 38.4 | 38.9 | 38.9 | 42.2 | 41.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 37.8 | 36.9 | 36.3 | 40.4 | 38.9 | 40.8 | 38.4 | 40.8 | 38.4 | 38.0 | 36.8 | 37.0 | 36.1 |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                 | 37.0 | 36.9 | 36.4 | 40.7 | 40.4 | 41.1 | 38.8 | 41.2 | 37.4 | 37.2 | 36.2 | 35.8 | 36.9 |
| *TRADE                               | 28.8 | 28.7 | 28.7 | 28.8 | 29.1 | 30.5 | 30.3 | 30.6 | 30.1 | 29.5 | 29.1 | 28.4 | 29.8 |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                     | 35.0 | 35.7 | 35.3 | 36.1 | 36.2 | 37.1 | 36.5 | 37.1 | 36.8 | 35.4 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 36.1 |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 37.9 | 36.5 | 36.7 | 36.8 | 38.8 | 38.3 | 38.7 | 38.8 | 38.3 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 38.8 | 38.8 | 40.1 | 40.8 | 41.0 | 40.7 | 41.0 | 41.8 | 41.0 | 38.8 | 40.7 | 42.3 | 40.7 |
| *MACHINERY EQUIPMENT                 | 37.8 | 38.3 | 38.9 | 38.3 | 38.3 | 40.4 | 38.5 | 40.8 | 40.0 | 36.5 | 38.9 | 38.6 | 38.3 |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS        | 32.1 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 33.4 | 33.4 | 33.8 | 34.3 | 33.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.8 |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                 | 33.0 | 32.9 | 32.8 | 33.2 | 33.8 | 34.8 | 35.7 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 34.3 | 33.7 | 33.9 |
| *PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS       | 33.1 | 34.1 | 35.6 | 36.2 | 35.5 | 37.8 | 35.3 | 34.8 | 34.9 | 32.0 | 32.7 | 31.0 | 34.4 |
| *PETROLEUM, NONDURABLE GOODS         | 31.3 | 31.5 | 31.2 | 31.2 | 29.9 | 31.0 | 29.5 | 30.0 | 29.2 | 27.9 | 28.8 | 31.8 | 30.2 |
| *FUEL TRADE                          | 27.0 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 27.1 | 27.4 | 29.1 | 28.9 | 29.5 | 28.7 | 28.1 | 27.7 | 28.0 | 28.0 |
| *BLDG MATERIALS, GROUND SUPPLIES     | 34.1 | 34.7 | 35.8 | 35.6 | 37.2 | 37.9 | 36.9 | 36.5 | 36.4 | 36.4 | 36.5 | 36.5 | 37.0 |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 25.8 | 25.8 | 25.4 | 25.6 | 26.4 | 26.2 | 25.7 | 28.4 | 27.8 | 27.3 | 27.0 | 26.8 | 27.3 |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 28.2 | 28.8 | 27.2 | 27.5 | 27.1 | 27.7 | 30.3 | 29.8 | 28.7 | 27.7 | 27.7 | 31.3 | 28.2 |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 28.2 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.3 | 28.8 | 32.4 | 32.1 | 32.0 | 30.7 | 30.3 | 28.7 | 29.8 | 30.4 |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 33.8 | 33.8 | 33.4 | 33.7 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 34.8 | 36.0 | 34.8 | 34.1 | 34.1 | 33.3 | 34.1 |
| *NEW/USED CAR DEALERS                | 36.2 | 36.3 | 34.2 | 35.9 | 34.2 | 36.0 | 36.4 | 36.4 | 36.6 | 38.4 | 34.8 | 35.8 | 36.3 |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 30.3 | 29.8 | 30.0 | 29.6 | 30.7 | 31.7 | 31.0 | 31.0 | 31.3 | 31.2 | 30.8 | 30.4 | 30.7 |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                 | 22.8 | 23.4 | 22.0 | 24.3 | 25.0 | 25.8 | 26.0 | 25.8 | 28.1 | 25.0 | 25.4 | 27.2 | 24.8 |
| *FURNITURE, HOME/FURN. EQUIPMENT     | 32.3 | 31.6 | 31.5 | 32.0 | 31.8 | 34.7 | 32.7 | 34.0 | 33.1 | 34.3 | 33.2 | 33.4 | 32.9 |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 23.0 | 23.6 | 23.1 | 22.8 | 23.3 | 25.2 | 24.8 | 25.6 | 24.9 | 23.8 | 22.8 | 23.1 | 23.9 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 27.4 | 27.8 | 27.8 | 27.7 | 28.3 | 28.7 | 28.2 | 28.3 | 28.8 | 28.7 | 29.0 | 29.2 | 28.4 |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 27.2 | 28.0 | 28.2 | 27.1 | 27.8 | 30.3 | 29.2 | 30.3 | 29.7 | 27.5 | 27.7 | 28.8 | 28.5 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 27.2 | 27.1 | 28.8 | 28.0 | 28.5 | 28.4 | 28.4 | 30.1 | 29.0 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.0 | 28.4 |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 35.1 | 35.1 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 36.4 | 36.0 | 36.0 | 37.2 | 36.0 | 36.8 | 36.7 | 35.7 |
| *FINANCE                             | 32.2 | 30.8 | 35.2 | 36.0 | 35.9 | 38.2 | 36.8 | 38.1 | 36.8 | 36.2 | 37.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| *DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS             | 36.1 | 37.0 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 35.8 | 36.0 | 36.3 | 36.8 | 36.0 | 36.5 | 36.0 | 37.4 | 36.8 |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 36.2 | 37.0 | 36.8 | 36.3 | 35.8 | 38.3 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.4 | 36.4 | 36.1 | 37.8 | 36.7 |
| *INSURANCE                           | 37.8 | 38.2 | 38.5 | 37.8 | 38.7 | 38.7 | 38.7 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 | 38.8 |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                  | 39.3 | 38.8 | 38.5 | 38.5 | 38.7 | 38.0 | 38.7 | 38.8 | 38.9 | 38.5 | 38.8 | 40.1 | 39.3 |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 37.1 | 37.3 | 37.0 | 38.0 | 36.9 | 38.5 | 36.3 | 37.7 | 36.4 | 37.8 | 38.0 | 38.0 | 37.7 |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 39.1 | 37.7 | 36.8 | 37.7 | 28.0 | 29.7 | 31.8 | 32.5 | 33.2 | 31.5 | 31.8 | 31.7 | 30.2 |
| *SERVICES                            | 30.2 | 30.4 | 30.4 | 30.1 | 30.1 | 30.9 | 30.9 | 31.2 | 30.9 | 30.3 | 30.3 | 29.8 | 30.6 |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 29.3 | 29.7 | 29.3 | 29.0 | 27.3 | 28.2 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.8 |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 32.0 | 32.9 | 32.1 | 32.8 | 35.1 | 35.1 | 35.8 | 35.0 | 33.7 | 34.9 | 34.2 | 33.7 | 33.9 |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 29.5 | 29.1 | 30.2 | 28.8 | 28.5 | 28.2 | 28.3 | 28.9 | 28.4 | 29.3 | 28.7 | 28.1 | 28.8 |
| *REPAIR & MAINT. REPAIR & PARKING    | 37.5 | 38.8 | 38.7 | 34.6 | 35.7 | 36.8 | 36.4 | 37.4 | 36.0 | 35.7 | 36.8 | 36.3 | 36.8 |
| *AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES         | 21.2 | 23.1 | 21.5 | 18.5 | 22.3 | 24.9 | 26.8 | 25.2 | 24.8 | 23.3 | 21.5 | 22.9 | 23.3 |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                     | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.1 | 32.1 | 32.8 | 32.4 | 32.8 | 33.0 | 32.4 | 32.8 | 32.8 | 32.4 |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 32.9 | 32.2 | 31.8 | 31.1 | 31.0 | 32.0 | 31.7 | 32.2 | 33.1 | 31.8 | 31.7 | 32.7 | 32.0 |
| *HOSPITAL                            | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 | 32.2 |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                      | 34.1 | 34.1 | 34.8 | 33.9 | 34.0 | 33.2 | 33.8 | 34.1 | 34.7 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.4 | 34.3 |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                     | 24.4 | 24.2 | 24.0 | 24.0 | 24.8 | 26.7 | 26.5 | 27.6 | 27.3 | 26.5 | 27.8 | 27.8 | 26.0 |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 21.2 | 22.2 | 21.0 | 21.0 | 21.3 | 22.8 | 24.0 | 24.5 | 24.8 | 24.8 | 24.8 | 24.8 | 24.8 |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 30.1 | 29.3 | 30.5 | 28.0 | 29.6 | 31.0 | 30.2 | 31.9 | 32.0 | 30.5 | 31.8 | 32.5 | 30.8 |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS            | 29.5 | 30.2 | 29.9 | 31.7 | 31.0 | 30.8 | 32.7 | 31.2 | 28.2 | 28.3 | 28.1 | 25.2 | 29.4 |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT            | 36.4 | 36.2 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 37.5 | 37.8 | 37.2 | 36.5 | 36.8 | 37.3 | 36.8 | 36.0 | 36.4 |
| *ENGINEERS                           | 36.2 | 37.8 | 36.7 | 36.0 | 36.2 | 36.0 | 36.3 | 36.3 | 36.1 | 37.4 | 36.1 | 37.4 | 36.1 |
| *ACCOUNTING/AUDITING                 | 40.2 | 43.5 | 43.7 | 43.1 | 37.6 | 38.3 | 36.2 | 37.2 | 37.3 | 36.5 | 40.4 | 36.1 | 36.4 |

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# STATEWIDE PRODUCTION WORKERS 1990 ANNUAL MONTANA INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT (in thousands)

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|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 177.5 | 178.3 | 178.0 | 182.8 | 187.7 | 195.0 | 196.5 | 196.4 | 196.0 | 193.3 | 191.4 | 190.3 | 188.7 |
| *GOODS PRODUCING                     | 26.5  | 25.7  | 25.4  | 27.5  | 26.3  | 31.1  | 32.4  | 32.7  | 32.7  | 32.4  | 31.1  | 29.3  | 29.8  |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING           | 151.0 | 152.6 | 152.6 | 155.1 | 158.4 | 163.9 | 164.1 | 163.7 | 163.3 | 160.9 | 160.3 | 161.0 | 158.9 |
| MINING                               | 4.4   | 4.6   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.9   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.2   | 5.0   | 5.0   |
| *METAL MINING                        | 2.0   | 2.2   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.1   | 2.2   |
| *GOLD & SILVER ORES                  | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| *COAL MINING                         | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.3   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   | 0.7   |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 5.8   | 5.3   | 5.0   | 7.1   | 8.4   | 6.1   | 9.7   | 10.0  | 10.2  | 9.7   | 8.7   | 7.3   | 8.1   |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.9   | 2.1   | 2.4   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.4   | 2.2   | 2.2   |
| *HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS      | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.7   | 2.1   | 2.8   | 3.0   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.1   | 2.8   | 1.8   | 2.4   |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 2.7   | 2.4   | 2.7   | 3.2   | 3.7   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 3.6   | 3.3   | 3.5   |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 16.3  | 15.8  | 15.7  | 15.7  | 16.0  | 16.7  | 17.3  | 17.3  | 17.2  | 17.3  | 17.2  | 17.0  | 16.9  |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 11.5  | 11.2  | 11.1  | 11.0  | 11.3  | 12.0  | 12.5  | 12.5  | 12.3  | 12.1  | 12.0  | 11.5  | 11.4  |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 7.6   | 7.3   | 7.1   | 8.7   | 7.0   | 7.5   | 7.8   | 7.6   | 7.7   | 7.5   | 7.4   | 7.1   | 7.4   |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                  | 4.3   | 4.1   | 4.1   | 4.7   | 4.9   | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.1   | 5.1   |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.7   | 0.8   |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.8   | 4.8   |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS              | 1.7   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.4   | 1.5   | 1.4   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.8   | 1.5   |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.1   |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 16.0  | 17.0  | 17.1  | 17.3  | 17.7  | 17.6  | 17.7  | 18.1  | 18.3  | 18.2  | 18.2  | 18.4  | 17.7  |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 10.8  | 10.7  | 10.7  | 10.8  | 11.1  | 11.2  | 10.8  | 11.1  | 11.4  | 11.4  | 11.5  | 11.8  | 11.1  |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.9   | 5.2   | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.2   | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.1   |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 8.3   | 8.3   | 8.4   | 8.5   | 8.6   | 8.7   | 8.9   | 7.0   | 6.9   | 6.8   | 6.7   | 6.8   | 6.7   |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                      | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.8   |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.8   |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.6   | 3.7   | 3.8   | 3.9   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 3.9   | 4.0   |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                 | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.9   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.4   |
| *TRADE                               | 85.9  | 85.3  | 86.1  | 87.4  | 89.8  | 91.6  | 92.3  | 93.3  | 92.0  | 90.8  | 90.8  | 91.1  | 89.7  |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                     | 12.4  | 12.4  | 12.6  | 12.7  | 13.0  | 13.2  | 13.2  | 13.3  | 13.4  | 13.3  | 13.3  | 13.2  | 13.0  |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 8.2   | 8.2   | 8.3   | 8.3   | 8.5   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.5   | 8.5   |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   |
| *MACHINERY EQUIPMENT                 | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS        | 8.2   | 8.2   | 8.3   | 8.3   | 8.5   | 8.5   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.7   | 8.6   |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                 | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.1   |
| *PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS       | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS      | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   |
| *RETAIL TRADE                        | 53.2  | 52.9  | 53.5  | 54.7  | 56.8  | 56.8  | 58.1  | 58.0  | 56.9  | 57.5  | 57.5  | 57.9  | 56.7  |
| *BLOG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES     | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.4   |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 6.2   | 5.9   | 5.9   | 5.7   | 6.0   | 6.1   | 6.2   | 6.3   | 6.2   | 6.2   | 6.3   | 6.4   | 6.2   |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 4.1   | 3.9   | 3.8   | 3.8   | 3.9   | 4.0   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.4   | 4.5   | 4.1   |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.6   | 8.8   | 9.1   | 9.4   | 9.6   | 9.6   | 9.5   | 9.4   | 9.3   | 9.5   | 9.2   |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 7.1   | 7.0   | 7.2   | 7.3   | 7.3   | 7.5   | 7.5   | 7.5   | 7.3   | 7.2   | 7.1   | 7.0   | 7.3   |
| *NEW USED CAR DEALERS                | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.2   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.3   | 3.2   | 3.2   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.2   |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                 | 2.0   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   |
| *FURNITURE, HOMEFURN EQUIPMENT       | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.2   |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 18.8  | 18.9  | 20.4  | 21.1  | 22.0  | 23.2  | 23.3  | 23.6  | 23.1  | 22.2  | 21.7  | 21.4  | 21.6  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 5.3   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 6.0   | 5.6   | 5.6   | 5.6   | 5.7   | 5.7   |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.0   |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 2.5   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.7   | 2.8   | 2.8   | 2.7   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 10.2  | 9.7   | 10.0  | 10.2  | 10.3  | 10.5  | 10.7  | 10.7  | 10.7  | 10.5  | 10.5  | 10.5  | 10.4  |
| *FINANCE                             | 5.9   | 5.4   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.7   |
| *DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS             | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.3   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.2   | 4.3   |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   |
| *INSURANCE                           | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   | 2.6   |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                  | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.8   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.5   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.6   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 2.0   | 2.0   | 2.1   | 2.2   | 2.3   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.4   | 2.3   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   | 2.2   |
| *SERVICES                            | 56.3  | 56.8  | 58.4  | 60.2  | 60.8  | 63.7  | 63.4  | 63.6  | 62.4  | 61.4  | 60.6  | 61.0  | 61.1  |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.7   |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.5   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.3   | 2.4   |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 4.8   | 4.5   | 4.7   | 4.7   | 4.8   | 5.0   | 5.3   | 5.2   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.7   | 5.0   |
| *AUTO & MISC REPAIR & PARKING        | 2.9   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.1   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   | 3.0   |
| *AMUSEMENT INCLUDING MOVIES          | 3.8   | 3.8   | 4.0   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.5   | 4.3   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.1   | 4.2   |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                     | 21.9  | 21.6  | 22.1  | 22.3  | 22.5  | 22.6  | 22.5  | 22.6  | 22.4  | 22.1  | 22.3  | 22.3  | 22.3  |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   | 3.6   |
| *HOSPITALS                           | 12.1  | 12.1  | 12.2  | 12.4  | 12.5  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.8  | 12.8  |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                      | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   | 1.7   |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                     | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.8   | 5.7   | 5.7   | 5.8   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.7   | 5.9   | 6.1   | 6.1   | 5.6   |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   | 1.9   |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS            | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.3   | 5.5   | 5.4   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.5   | 5.9   | 5.5   | 5.4   | 5.5   | 5.5   |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT            | 3.5   | 3.5   | 3.7   | 4.0   | 4.1   | 4.2   | 4.0   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 3.9   | 3.9   |
| *ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS               | 0.9   | 0.9   | 0.9   | 1.0   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   |
| *ACCOUNTING, AUDITING                | 1.1   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.3   | 1.2   | 1.2   | 1.1   | 1.0   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.1   | 1.2   |

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|                                      | JAN    | FEB    | MAR    | APR    | MAY    | JUN    | JUL    | AUG    | SEP    | OCT    | NOV    | DEC    | AVG    |
|--------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 286.14 | 286.72 | 286.14 | 286.48 | 287.78 | 301.38 | 308.98 | 304.84 | 313.41 | 308.83 | 300.48 | 304.85 | 298.27 |
| *GOODS PRODUCING                     | 450.10 | 477.68 | 473.39 | 491.52 | 508.33 | 502.07 | 513.38 | 528.22 | 548.04 | 521.78 | 508.06 | 498.41 | 504.78 |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING           | 284.10 | 284.51 | 284.00 | 286.10 | 258.13 | 263.82 | 266.85 | 260.48 | 268.28 | 259.19 | 262.34 | 268.82 | 260.93 |
| MINING                               | 568.18 | 578.34 | 568.80 | 566.29 | 601.15 | 562.88 | 578.51 | 563.28 | 607.21 | 607.82 | 582.87 | 580.15 | 580.78 |
| *METAL MINING                        | 803.71 | 805.78 | 806.06 | 840.05 | 818.58 | 598.72 | 575.74 | 615.83 | 634.88 | 617.81 | 584.87 | 871.71 | 804.78 |
| *COAL & SILVER ORES                  | 598.74 | 588.15 | 588.88 | 802.78 | 588.52 | 584.34 | 587.14 | 587.84 | 614.88 | 584.88 | 585.81 | 803.28 | 598.14 |
| *COAL MINING                         | 748.48 | 735.13 | 720.24 | 755.22 | 798.08 | 762.11 | 717.18 | 734.52 | 742.54 | 720.28 | 705.31 | 787.83 | 742.28 |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 474.73 | 488.54 | 481.78 | 452.28 | 607.37 | 505.82 | 506.78 | 493.53 | 506.01 | 522.81 | 507.45 | 514.40 | 498.14 |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 518.91 | 566.40 | 491.34 | 419.13 | 522.00 | 538.68 | 556.75 | 560.66 | 567.87 | 606.90 | 579.78 | 568.88 | 561.21 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 912.95 | 499.60 | 619.38 | 522.88 | 584.83 | 558.70 | 526.23 | 915.27 | 530.08 | 548.78 | 548.42 | 528.98 | 586.74 |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 457.10 | 447.68 | 448.18 | 478.77 | 482.48 | 458.48 | 502.87 | 513.38 | 521.87 | 564.88 | 498.08 | 447.25 | 477.83 |
| *HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS      | 553.29 | 434.38 | 538.02 | 574.40 | 600.85 | 548.19 | 734.96 | 722.54 | 787.68 | 800.40 | 514.78 | 647.81 | 647.81 |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 529.72 | 537.33 | 532.73 | 517.48 | 568.30 | 559.68 | 545.38 | 568.37 | 583.84 | 600.05 | 540.20 | 562.48 | 583.74 |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 437.68 | 444.81 | 429.40 | 445.08 | 451.19 | 444.29 | 448.96 | 453.88 | 483.18 | 454.12 | 448.80 | 450.35 | 448.28 |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 431.88 | 440.53 | 445.35 | 444.08 | 453.78 | 441.43 | 447.27 | 455.36 | 446.20 | 452.40 | 440.02 | 488.85 | 450.20 |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 462.84 | 473.08 | 471.34 | 470.34 | 470.31 | 478.04 | 482.80 | 485.10 | 515.28 | 488.38 | 491.21 | 508.83 | 484.33 |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                  | 444.98 | 483.91 | 503.52 | 504.70 | 498.37 | 484.21 | 487.77 | 486.98 | 523.40 | 511.80 | 480.23 | 538.80 | 505.80 |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 364.08 | 373.70 | 358.83 | 361.85 | 387.47 | 382.70 | 384.28 | 382.70 | 387.84 | 372.08 | 378.34 | 372.88 | 387.88 |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 498.50 | 458.12 | 482.88 | 477.63 | 556.98 | 482.85 | 502.87 | 481.47 | 487.80 | 482.87 | 503.07 | 440.84 | 484.88 |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 414.08 | 432.28 | 386.31 | 446.02 | 448.17 | 446.17 | 444.84 | 448.07 | 500.22 | 448.68 | 460.78 | 446.13 | 448.08 |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS              | 414.08 | 408.28 | 402.48 | 392.88 | 405.81 | 434.70 | 447.19 | 412.67 | 412.28 | 408.20 | 436.83 | 418.88 | 413.60 |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 278.20 | 284.41 | 290.84 | 283.73 | 298.34 | 314.10 | 297.81 | 300.88 | 301.82 | 308.62 | 294.04 | 299.48 | 298.63 |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 475.02 | 478.20 | 479.81 | 490.30 | 484.60 | 533.88 | 524.02 | 514.85 | 512.82 | 501.04 | 508.82 | 500.08 | 501.80 |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 457.73 | 458.28 | 461.18 | 472.28 | 468.18 | 518.08 | 508.07 | 505.19 | 508.07 | 477.00 | 477.00 | 478.02 | 488.12 |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                | 304.98 | 311.14 | 438.98 | 412.45 | 481.40 | 453.38 | 485.35 | 447.48 | 458.56 | 454.20 | 440.02 | 436.28 | 436.83 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 500.88 | 513.00 | 497.28 | 515.82 | 502.50 | 588.14 | 533.14 | 529.82 | 534.45 | 518.10 | 558.78 | 543.00 | 527.88 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                      | 428.88 | 418.40 | 415.80 | 428.87 | 418.04 | 448.37 | 481.34 | 448.58 | 484.01 | 444.88 | 448.71 | 470.12 | 440.88 |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 | 450.02 |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 581.37 | 566.08 | 581.71 | 679.57 | 582.10 | 589.48 | 583.53 | 588.87 | 585.78 | 571.31 | 630.14 | 595.56 | 583.10 |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                 | 587.11 | 515.08 | 571.34 | 587.75 | 582.83 | 778.58 | 593.98 | 804.82 | 805.48 | 677.81 | 875.87 | 806.82 | 814.28 |
| *TRADE                               | 195.05 | 197.58 | 196.53 | 202.82 | 204.54 | 208.19 | 213.35 | 208.09 | 208.70 | 204.18 | 203.06 | 211.18 | 208.32 |
| *FURNITURE TRADE                     | 318.33 | 318.33 | 318.33 | 322.48 | 322.48 | 340.10 | 331.23 | 335.87 | 330.15 | 331.51 | 340.78 | 330.37 | 330.37 |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 343.45 | 350.23 | 353.88 | 387.87 | 388.71 | 371.11 | 382.38 | 386.04 | 371.08 | 371.08 | 371.08 | 371.08 | 371.08 |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 303.38 | 310.73 | 321.97 | 323.95 | 324.00 | 327.58 | 332.88 | 330.07 | 332.27 | 333.96 | 330.28 | 338.82 | 324.40 |
| *MACHINERY/EQUIPMENT                 | 385.45 | 383.03 | 417.73 | 417.84 | 432.79 | 421.20 | 440.84 | 417.75 | 430.81 | 412.23 | 424.08 | 421.80 | 417.84 |
| *METAL - NONDURABLE GOODS            | 292.80 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 | 291.78 |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                 | 319.47 | 295.98 | 303.91 | 315.21 | 330.01 | 326.97 | 347.96 | 343.08 | 335.38 | 355.10 | 321.72 | 364.03 | 333.68 |
| *PETROLEUM/PETROLEUM PRODUCTS        | 234.28 | 238.19 | 238.93 | 240.53 | 241.08 | 245.21 | 242.19 | 238.00 | 240.35 | 239.53 | 232.19 | 268.38 | 241.71 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS      | 289.12 | 245.43 | 245.43 | 253.88 | 249.84 | 281.18 | 281.18 | 281.18 | 281.18 | 281.18 | 245.43 | 268.73 | 258.68 |
| *RETAIL TRADE                        | 186.74 | 170.14 | 186.83 | 177.27 | 179.48 | 177.37 | 186.42 | 181.96 | 180.47 | 175.54 | 172.87 | 181.83 | 178.38 |
| *BLDG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES     | 234.81 | 238.27 | 247.78 | 248.71 | 258.87 | 258.00 | 264.85 | 265.81 | 271.48 | 268.80 | 267.96 | 287.48 | 257.31 |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 144.50 | 148.41 | 152.38 | 158.40 | 160.00 | 184.44 | 198.48 | 170.20 | 180.91 | 158.48 | 157.41 | 188.81 | 180.84 |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 158.47 | 158.35 | 163.38 | 167.88 | 180.13 | 171.41 | 174.58 | 177.58 | 172.30 | 153.58 | 167.87 | 205.88 | 170.47 |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 223.81 | 223.82 | 227.18 | 231.84 | 228.30 | 229.32 | 243.82 | 228.82 | 224.33 | 228.70 | 218.23 | 222.71 | 228.82 |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 252.15 | 258.14 | 242.82 | 270.87 | 286.80 | 267.08 | 284.88 | 291.46 | 292.94 | 290.40 | 277.83 | 282.48 | 277.87 |
| *NEW/USED CAR DEALERS                | 354.83 | 364.71 | 334.78 | 379.64 | 426.04 | 426.54 | 418.08 | 441.80 | 440.88 | 423.38 | 362.88 | 412.81 | 403.88 |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 143.98 | 142.80 | 145.18 | 152.70 | 148.93 | 154.82 | 158.00 | 158.48 | 158.85 | 184.71 | 158.58 | 158.58 | 158.58 |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                 | 132.88 | 128.26 | 128.25 | 137.75 | 138.48 | 138.48 | 145.84 | 132.53 | 143.13 | 132.30 | 134.78 | 148.04 | 138.98 |
| *FURNITURE/HOMEFURN. EQUIPMENT       | 248.44 | 238.02 | 261.78 | 253.34 | 248.12 | 280.84 | 280.82 | 280.82 | 281.21 | 247.01 | 250.84 | 283.07 | 283.50 |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 102.12 | 103.98 | 107.87 | 113.78 | 107.18 | 112.08 | 120.02 | 118.44 | 119.82 | 118.44 | 119.82 | 111.27 | 111.27 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 178.26 | 183.04 | 175.10 | 183.00 | 178.44 | 174.50 | 190.32 | 185.18 | 183.78 | 177.18 | 178.81 | 187.81 | 181.78 |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 181.44 | 187.88 | 178.18 | 188.72 | 175.13 | 183.77 | 188.00 | 194.14 | 203.35 | 198.08 | 208.48 | 208.27 | 190.84 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 158.47 | 158.78 | 158.48 | 164.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 | 158.42 |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 362.88 | 269.28 | 268.85 | 318.58 | 305.88 | 300.95 | 307.81 | 297.71 | 312.31 | 301.18 | 303.07 | 300.88 | 306.58 |
| *FINANCE                             | 335.98 | 318.19 | 321.13 | 347.53 | 330.87 | 323.88 | 328.87 | 319.29 | 333.38 | 320.78 | 321.48 | 344.71 | 325.48 |
| *DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS             | 280.80 | 284.82 | 283.17 | 278.48 | 255.28 | 258.08 | 270.96 | 281.87 | 274.27 | 289.84 | 284.19 | 287.19 | 287.19 |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 264.87 | 285.72 | 286.98 | 281.30 | 262.08 | 260.81 | 273.08 | 283.47 | 279.38 | 273.28 | 288.08 | 280.80 | 280.80 |
| *INSURANCE                           | 351.50 | 381.50 | 348.88 | 388.00 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 | 348.88 |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                  | 303.42 | 317.10 | 304.10 | 308.52 | 310.98 | 312.89 | 318.82 | 312.89 | 311.85 | 318.84 | 318.84 | 318.84 | 318.84 |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 378.18 | 384.83 | 370.53 | 395.23 | 381.83 | 392.25 | 408.08 | 398.87 | 413.00 | 398.98 | 391.88 | 417.57 | 384.42 |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 187.31 | 170.81 | 175.71 | 198.50 | 179.48 | 174.63 | 186.37 | 175.52 | 188.88 | 175.87 | 182.82 | 188.37 | 179.34 |
| *SERVICES                            | 240.34 | 243.68 | 242.28 | 245.43 | 243.71 | 245.29 | 248.35 | 241.18 | 252.88 | 252.83 | 250.32 | 258.41 | 247.28 |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 115.83 | 182.18 | 171.33 | 180.68 | 184.80 | 184.83 | 189.87 | 319.29 | 333.38 | 320.78 | 321.48 | 344.71 | 325.48 |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 200.40 | 204.31 | 201.60 | 212.12 | 217.12 | 221.38 | 221.58 | 213.00 | 212.68 | 218.48 | 209.28 | 217.12 | 212.68 |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 188.42 | 184.47 | 187.04 | 188.88 | 188.88 | 201.10 | 188.84 | 193.12 | 198.23 | 187.28 | 188.18 | 181.81 | 191.81 |
| *AUTO & REPAIR & PARKING             | 254.83 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 | 287.32 |
| *AMUSEMENT/ENTERTAINMENT MOVIES      | 123.78 | 124.34 | 117.70 | 120.25 | 114.84 | 124.98 | 124.98 | 124.98 | 124.98 | 124.98 | 124.98 | 124.98 | 124.98 |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                     | 293.71 | 287.88 | 286.07 | 291.82 | 289.41 | 290.38 | 290.70 | 294.05 | 304.38 | 295.98 | 300.18 | 303.48 | 284.30 |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 188.82 | 180.31 | 188.85 | 200.58 | 188.84 | 188.77 | 198.25 | 193.12 | 208.75 | 197.18 | 189.00 | 206.12 | 197.68 |
| *HOSPITALS                           | 242.02 | 333.00 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 | 338.02 |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                      | 338.33 | 343.07 | 344.37 | 383.88 | 333.81 | 360.55 | 380.58 | 354.30 | 442.42 | 378.98 | 362.81 | 383.03 | 364.35 |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                     | 135.38 | 138.08 | 138.58 | 147.84 | 144.84 | 155.81 | 148.07 | 148.58 | 151.29 | 148.02 | 151.83 | 155.83 | 148.02 |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 112.58 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 | 127.98 |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 210.80 | 198.47 | 198.25 | 202.68 | 207.81 | 212.29 | 212.98 | 209.48 | 209.28 | 207.81 | 218.87 | 200.00 | 207.81 |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATION             | 188.28 | 185.84 | 181.13 | 193.38 | 181.04 | 198.80 | 183.23 | 184.18 | 193.14 | 225.37 | 218.13 | 238.85 | 201.18 |
| *ENGINEERS & ARCHITECTS              | 435.85 | 482.84 |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |        |

# STATEWIDE AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS 1990 ANNUAL MONTANA INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT (in dollars)

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|                                      | JAN   | FEB   | MAR   | APR   | MAY   | JUN   | JUL   | AUG   | SEP   | OCT   | NOV   | DEC   | AVG   |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| *PRIVATE NON-FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS | 6.97  | 6.90  | 6.97  | 6.12  | 6.18  | 6.18  | 6.18  | 6.13  | 6.44  | 6.43  | 6.36  | 6.26  | 6.18  |
| •GOODS PRODUCING                     | 12.47 | 12.51 | 12.53 | 12.00 | 12.06 | 12.04 | 12.03 | 13.08 | 13.48 | 13.11 | 12.87 | 12.74 | 12.81 |
| *SERVICE PRODUCING                   | 6.21  | 6.21  | 6.22  | 6.31  | 6.30  | 6.28  | 6.14  | 6.14  | 6.40  | 6.40  | 6.40  | 6.41  | 6.31  |
| MINING                               | 14.30 | 14.25 | 13.99 | 14.70 | 14.68 | 14.42 | 14.27 | 14.43 | 14.81 | 14.71 | 14.42 | 14.30 | 14.46 |
| *METAL MINING                        | 14.34 | 14.16 | 14.12 | 15.06 | 14.67 | 14.21 | 13.84 | 14.06 | 14.73 | 14.74 | 13.96 | 13.71 | 14.32 |
| •GOLD & SILVER ORES                  | 13.93 | 13.79 | 13.62 | 14.56 | 14.08 | 13.90 | 14.00 | 13.81 | 14.47 | 14.16 | 13.83 | 13.43 | 14.04 |
| *COAL MINING                         | 18.06 | 17.83 | 17.74 | 18.42 | 18.53 | 18.95 | 18.58 | 16.99 | 16.81 | 16.86 | 16.89 | 16.73 | 18.51 |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                | 11.17 | 11.29 | 11.10 | 11.46 | 12.78 | 12.40 | 12.33 | 12.56 | 12.60 | 12.87 | 12.78 | 12.96 | 12.26 |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                | 14.52 | 14.60 | 13.87 | 14.16 | 13.92 | 13.56 | 14.80 | 14.30 | 14.41 | 14.53 | 13.97 | 14.74 | 14.28 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                        | 14.48 | 14.25 | 14.87 | 14.32 | 14.59 | 14.65 | 14.77 | 14.67 | 16.33 | 15.29 | 14.93 | 14.47 | 14.81 |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS        | 12.64 | 13.09 | 13.63 | 13.01 | 12.68 | 12.84 | 13.14 | 13.25 | 13.23 | 13.36 | 12.84 | 12.97 | 13.06 |
| *HEAVY BUILDING CONTRACTORS          | 14.09 | 13.29 | 13.79 | 14.16 | 14.55 | 15.36 | 15.96 | 15.88 | 16.45 | 16.43 | 16.57 | 14.46 | 16.31 |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS           | 15.06 | 15.62 | 15.85 | 15.22 | 15.46 | 15.26 | 14.73 | 15.36 | 15.53 | 16.26 | 16.20 | 16.10 | 16.53 |
| MANUFACTURING                        | 11.25 | 11.42 | 11.30 | 11.53 | 11.51 | 11.54 | 11.81 | 11.52 | 11.95 | 11.41 | 11.57 | 11.48 | 11.52 |
| DURABLE GOODS                        | 11.16 | 11.34 | 11.30 | 11.30 | 11.26 | 11.30 | 11.41 | 11.30 | 11.90 | 11.31 | 11.37 | 11.38 | 11.34 |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS              | 11.00 | 11.71 | 11.84 | 11.70 | 11.67 | 11.77 | 12.04 | 11.80 | 12.21 | 12.08 | 11.93 | 12.11 | 11.80 |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                  | 11.52 | 11.54 | 11.66 | 11.71 | 11.49 | 11.42 | 11.56 | 11.74 | 12.06 | 11.87 | 11.63 | 12.00 | 11.78 |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                 | 6.96  | 10.10 | 6.82  | 10.07 | 6.96  | 6.77  | 6.74  | 6.57  | 6.65  | 6.94  | 6.60  | 6.63  | 6.75  |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES            | 11.51 | 12.51 | 12.70 | 12.57 | 12.80 | 12.82 | 12.22 | 12.44 | 12.24 | 12.27 | 12.34 | 12.14 | 12.40 |
| NONDURABLE GOODS                     | 11.55 | 11.62 | 11.69 | 12.12 | 12.19 | 12.17 | 12.16 | 12.16 | 13.17 | 11.83 | 12.03 | 11.87 | 11.87 |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS              | 6.83  | 6.81  | 6.84  | 10.12 | 10.30 | 10.42 | 10.24 | 10.48 | 6.94  | 10.32 | 6.99  | 10.10 | 10.10 |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING               | 6.56  | 6.86  | 6.84  | 6.73  | 6.83  | 6.60  | 6.84  | 6.74  | 6.12  | 6.24  | 6.83  | 6.02  | 6.86  |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES          | 13.05 | 13.03 | 13.14 | 13.04 | 13.09 | 13.32 | 13.30 | 13.17 | 13.32 | 13.22 | 13.34 | 13.23 | 13.20 |
| *TRANSPORTATION                      | 12.75 | 12.73 | 12.66 | 12.63 | 12.61 | 12.80 | 12.62 | 12.81 | 12.78 | 12.87 | 12.72 | 12.96 | 12.80 |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSING              | 11.72 | 11.68 | 11.11 | 11.32 | 11.37 | 12.26 | 12.34 | 12.26 | 12.11 | 11.88 | 11.98 | 11.88 | 11.96 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES          | 13.53 | 13.50 | 14.44 | 13.58 | 13.40 | 14.31 | 13.82 | 13.56 | 14.20 | 14.20 | 14.19 | 13.86 | 14.19 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                      | 11.75 | 11.65 | 11.53 | 11.46 | 11.64 | 11.84 | 12.21 | 12.25 | 12.44 | 12.23 | 12.34 | 12.47 | 12.01 |
| *TELEPHONE COMMUNICATIONS            | 13.98 | 14.00 | 13.95 | 14.01 | 14.18 | 14.15 | 14.85 | 14.56 | 15.09 | 15.09 | 15.09 | 16.16 | 14.81 |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY             | 14.93 | 14.86 | 14.64 | 14.71 | 14.60 | 15.86 | 15.62 | 15.82 | 16.41 | 16.41 | 16.41 | 16.41 | 16.41 |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                 | 15.50 | 15.43 | 15.40 | 15.21 | 15.20 | 16.70 | 16.87 | 14.66 | 16.45 | 16.14 | 16.36 | 16.85 | 16.75 |
| TRADE                                | 6.82  | 6.79  | 6.81  | 6.91  | 6.91  | 6.86  | 6.86  | 6.82  | 6.96  | 7.04  | 6.93  | 6.97  | 6.86  |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                     | 6.13  | 6.00  | 6.25  | 6.26  | 6.38  | 6.21  | 6.00  | 6.15  | 6.35  | 6.30  | 6.26  | 6.44  | 6.25  |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS           | 9.11  | 9.29  | 9.55  | 9.53  | 9.88  | 9.54  | 9.85  | 9.51  | 9.87  | 9.57  | 9.64  | 9.81  | 9.57  |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES PARTS                | 7.66  | 8.05  | 8.11  | 8.16  | 8.10  | 8.21  | 8.17  | 8.17  | 8.21  | 8.36  | 8.91  | 7.63  | 8.11  |
| *MACHINERY, EQUIPMENT                | 6.96  | 10.16 | 10.65 | 10.60 | 11.30 | 10.53 | 10.60 | 10.47 | 10.55 | 10.57 | 10.78 | 10.52 | 10.80 |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS        | 6.15  | 6.65  | 6.90  | 6.68  | 6.80  | 6.91  | 6.84  | 6.74  | 6.87  | 6.96  | 6.92  | 6.23  | 6.84  |
| *APPLIANCES & RELATED                | 6.56  | 6.22  | 6.45  | 6.81  | 6.84  | 10.09 | 10.21 | 10.16 | 10.60 | 10.60 | 10.63 | 10.77 | 10.15 |
| *PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS       | 6.68  | 7.11  | 6.84  | 7.15  | 7.08  | 7.17  | 7.04  | 7.06  | 7.35  | 7.19  | 6.81  | 7.89  | 7.13  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS      | 6.27  | 6.16  | 6.68  | 6.41  | 7.71  | 7.37  | 6.05  | 7.64  | 7.76  | 7.81  | 7.99  | 6.07  | 7.96  |
| *RETAIL TRADE                        | 6.13  | 6.12  | 6.05  | 6.22  | 6.20  | 6.19  | 6.18  | 6.15  | 6.31  | 6.36  | 6.23  | 6.27  | 6.21  |
| *FLOOR MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES    | 6.65  | 6.97  | 6.64  | 6.63  | 7.11  | 7.59  | 7.57  | 7.53  | 7.89  | 7.80  | 7.33  | 7.43  | 7.31  |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                 | 5.05  | 5.73  | 5.75  | 5.75  | 5.69  | 5.78  | 5.77  | 5.75  | 5.63  | 5.98  | 5.93  | 5.86  | 5.81  |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                   | 6.16  | 6.06  | 6.05  | 6.08  | 6.15  | 6.10  | 6.04  | 6.04  | 6.11  | 6.15  | 6.17  | 6.21  | 6.11  |
| *FOOD STORES                         | 7.36  | 7.36  | 7.40  | 7.36  | 7.30  | 7.15  | 7.15  | 7.10  | 7.18  | 7.20  | 7.26  | 7.35  | 7.27  |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                  | 7.33  | 7.49  | 7.15  | 7.72  | 7.63  | 7.66  | 7.67  | 8.03  | 6.15  | 6.23  | 6.10  | 6.14  | 7.63  |
| *NEW USED CAR DEALERS                | 6.97  | 6.77  | 6.96  | 10.16 | 10.78 | 10.48 | 10.40 | 11.04 | 11.18 | 11.35 | 11.13 | 11.19 | 10.51 |
| *GAS STATIONS                        | 4.48  | 4.60  | 4.76  | 4.61  | 4.78  | 4.84  | 5.00  | 4.82  | 5.06  | 5.14  | 5.28  | 5.12  | 4.86  |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                 | 5.21  | 4.99  | 5.03  | 5.14  | 5.21  | 5.15  | 5.11  | 5.02  | 5.32  | 6.40  | 6.37  | 6.33  | 5.18  |
| *FURNITURE, HOMEFURN, EQUIPMENT      | 7.36  | 7.40  | 7.63  | 7.28  | 7.13  | 7.62  | 7.43  | 7.42  | 7.66  | 7.44  | 7.79  | 7.90  | 7.80  |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES            | 4.55  | 4.52  | 4.58  | 4.76  | 4.62  | 4.64  | 4.67  | 4.70  | 4.51  | 4.66  | 4.57  | 4.69  | 4.68  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                | 6.30  | 6.29  | 6.22  | 6.43  | 6.36  | 6.21  | 6.24  | 6.32  | 6.35  | 6.25  | 6.25  | 6.41  | 6.29  |
| *DRUG STORES                         | 6.77  | 6.75  | 6.86  | 6.98  | 6.71  | 6.54  | 6.80  | 6.91  | 6.87  | 6.87  | 7.18  | 7.07  | 6.84  |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS        | 5.56  | 5.58  | 5.48  | 6.00  | 5.81  | 5.70  | 5.84  | 5.75  | 6.07  | 6.68  | 6.72  | 6.07  | 5.75  |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE     | 6.87  | 6.45  | 6.46  | 6.66  | 6.81  | 6.43  | 6.41  | 6.41  | 6.55  | 6.58  | 6.91  | 6.54  | 6.86  |
| *FINANCE                             | 6.06  | 6.67  | 6.75  | 6.96  | 6.91  | 6.86  | 6.86  | 6.70  | 6.78  | 6.78  | 6.74  | 6.91  | 6.85  |
| *DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS             | 7.23  | 7.31  | 7.26  | 7.25  | 7.15  | 7.06  | 7.15  | 7.13  | 7.21  | 7.19  | 7.16  | 7.42  | 7.21  |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                    | 7.22  | 7.26  | 7.26  | 7.25  | 7.16  | 7.14  | 7.13  | 7.14  | 7.23  | 7.21  | 7.16  | 7.21  | 7.20  |
| *INSURANCE                           | 6.50  | 6.64  | 6.48  | 6.76  | 6.84  | 6.53  | 6.77  | 6.65  | 6.78  | 6.85  | 6.76  | 6.79  | 6.86  |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                  | 7.00  | 6.11  | 7.00  | 7.00  | 6.81  | 6.80  | 7.00  | 7.02  | 7.63  | 7.63  | 7.60  | 7.64  | 7.60  |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                    | 10.42 | 10.46 | 10.35 | 10.74 | 10.56 | 10.83 | 10.88 | 10.64 | 10.84 | 10.68 | 10.82 | 10.79 | 10.80 |
| *REAL ESTATE                         | 5.85  | 5.69  | 6.06  | 6.18  | 5.86  | 5.95  | 5.96  | 5.96  | 6.36  | 6.33  | 6.37  | 6.53  | 6.10  |
| SERVICES                             | 7.66  | 7.97  | 7.67  | 8.10  | 8.07  | 7.90  | 7.95  | 7.78  | 8.15  | 8.32  | 8.40  | 8.30  | 8.06  |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING              | 5.86  | 6.37  | 6.23  | 5.76  | 6.29  | 5.66  | 5.60  | 5.61  | 6.10  | 6.30  | 6.24  | 6.30  | 6.06  |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                   | 6.00  | 6.21  | 6.09  | 6.37  | 6.52  | 6.38  | 6.60  | 6.81  | 6.56  | 6.56  | 6.56  | 6.56  | 6.56  |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                   | 6.80  | 6.46  | 6.60  | 6.85  | 6.73  | 6.78  | 6.56  | 6.80  | 6.90  | 6.91  | 6.74  | 6.87  | 6.73  |
| *AUTO & BUS REPAIR & PARKING         | 6.43  | 6.28  | 6.06  | 6.26  | 6.40  | 6.52  | 6.25  | 6.00  | 6.31  | 6.45  | 6.50  | 6.62  | 6.18  |
| *RECREATION, INCLUDING MOVIES        | 6.25  | 6.26  | 6.13  | 6.53  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  | 6.60  |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                     | 6.92  | 6.73  | 6.84  | 6.90  | 6.90  | 6.86  | 6.86  | 6.92  | 6.14  | 6.16  | 6.38  | 6.26  | 6.00  |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE             | 6.06  | 5.62  | 5.97  | 6.06  | 6.03  | 6.13  | 6.10  | 6.17  | 6.25  | 6.28  | 6.31  | 6.28  | 6.12  |
| *HOSPITALS                           | 10.03 | 10.00 | 10.00 | 10.00 | 10.24 | 10.06 | 10.17 | 10.22 | 10.41 | 10.41 | 10.41 | 10.41 | 10.41 |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                      | 6.68  | 10.12 | 10.04 | 10.48 | 10.22 | 10.75 | 10.69 | 10.12 | 10.56 | 10.68 | 10.48 | 10.62 | 10.41 |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                     | 5.21  | 5.30  | 5.41  | 5.68  | 6.60  | 5.96  | 5.68  | 5.92  | 6.15  | 6.24  | 6.30  | 6.47  | 5.87  |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                 | 4.02  | 4.57  | 4.76  | 5.52  | 5.36  | 5.33  | 5.40  | 5.44  | 5.57  | 5.65  | 5.76  | 5.84  | 5.25  |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                    | 6.45  | 5.99  | 6.23  | 6.44  | 6.57  | 7.10  | 6.96  | 6.96  | 6.77  | 6.98  | 6.77  | 6.77  | 6.86  |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS            | 6.70  | 7.07  | 6.73  | 6.80  | 6.52  | 6.82  | 6.78  | 6.51  | 6.52  | 7.27  | 7.29  | 7.76  | 6.60  |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT            | 11.36 | 11.40 | 11.57 | 11.75 | 11.53 | 11.75 | 11.78 | 11.53 | 11.76 | 12.13 | 12.12 | 11.96 | 11.73 |
| *ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS               | 12.06 | 12.40 | 12.42 | 12.75 | 12.64 | 12.37 | 12.75 | 11.86 | 12.39 | 12.46 | 12.46 | 12.46 | 12.36 |
| *ACCOUNTING, AUDITING                | 6.67  | 6.60  | 6.96  | 10.24 | 9.77  | 6.56  | 10.23 | 10.05 | 10.21 | 10.30 | 10.15 | 9.78  | 6.96  |

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**STATEWIDE  
AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS  
1990 ANNUAL MONTANA INDUSTRY EMPLOYMENT**  
*(in hours)*

|   | JAN  | FEB  | MAR  | APR  | MAY  | JUN  | JUL  | AUG  | SEP  | OCT  | NOV  | DEC  | AVG  |
|---|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| *PRIVATE NON - FARM WAGE & SALARY JOBS      | 31.9 | 32.0 | 31.8 | 32.4 | 32.4 | 32.9 | 33.8 | 33.4 | 33.2 | 32.4 | 32.1 | 32.8 | 32.8 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                               | 38.2 | 37.0 | 36.4 | 38.2 | 38.2 | 38.6 | 38.6 | 40.8 | 40.7 | 38.8 | 38.4 | 38.2 | 38.4 |
| *PRIVATE SERVICE PRODUCING                  | 30.7 | 31.0 | 30.9 | 31.3 | 31.1 | 31.8 | 32.4 | 32.0 | 31.7 | 31.0 | 30.1 | 31.4 | 31.0 |
| MINING                                      | 41.2 | 40.5 | 40.5 | 40.7 | 40.4 | 41.1 | 40.4 | 41.2 | 41.0 | 41.3 | 40.4 | 40.7 | 40.8 |
| *METAL MINING                               | 42.1 | 39.8 | 41.5 | 42.3 | 41.8 | 41.3 | 41.8 | 43.8 | 43.1 | 41.9 | 41.8 | 41.7 | 41.9 |
| *GOLD & SILVER ORES                         | 40.8 | 41.7 | 40.3 | 41.4 | 40.3 | 40.8 | 41.7 | 41.7 | 42.5 | 39.9 | 39.8 | 42.1 | 41.1 |
| *COAL MINING                                | 41.1 | 41.0 | 41.0 | 41.0 | 41.0 | 41.8 | 38.8 | 39.3 | 39.8 | 41.8 | 41.7 | 41.4 | 40.1 |
| *OIL & GAS EXTRACTION                       | 42.5 | 41.7 | 41.8 | 39.5 | 39.7 | 40.8 | 41.1 | 39.2 | 39.3 | 41.8 | 39.5 | 40.0 | 40.8 |
| *NONMETALLIC MINERALS                       | 35.9 | 40.0 | 35.3 | 39.8 | 37.5 | 39.8 | 37.9 | 39.2 | 39.2 | 41.7 | 41.8 | 39.8 | 39.8 |
| *CONSTRUCTION                               | 36.4 | 36.0 | 35.2 | 36.5 | 36.7 | 38.0 | 40.3 | 41.1 | 41.1 | 36.9 | 36.8 | 39.1 | 38.2 |
| *GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS               | 36.6 | 34.2 | 34.2 | 36.8 | 36.9 | 36.3 | 36.9 | 40.8 | 36.0 | 37.9 | 36.3 | 36.3 | 36.8 |
| *MECHANICAL ELECTRICAL PLUMBING CONTRACTORS | 36.1 | 37.2 | 38.1 | 40.2 | 41.1 | 40.2 | 41.1 | 41.8 | 41.8 | 41.7 | 41.8 | 41.8 | 41.8 |
| *SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS                  | 34.0 | 34.4 | 33.4 | 34.0 | 36.7 | 38.7 | 36.8 | 38.2 | 35.0 | 36.7 | 36.4 | 39.8 | 36.3 |
| MANUFACTURING                               | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.0 | 36.8 | 36.2 | 36.5 | 36.5 | 39.4 | 40.4 | 39.8 | 33.8 | 40.1 | 36.0 |
| DURABLE GOODS                               | 36.7 | 36.2 | 36.1 | 36.3 | 40.3 | 36.1 | 36.2 | 40.3 | 40.8 | 40.4 | 39.7 | 40.8 | 39.7 |
| *LUMBER & WOOD PRODUCTS                     | 36.8 | 40.4 | 36.8 | 40.2 | 41.8 | 40.7 | 40.1 | 41.5 | 42.2 | 41.1 | 39.3 | 42.1 | 40.7 |
| *SAWMILLS & PLANING                         | 42.1 | 42.8 | 42.1 | 43.1 | 43.2 | 42.4 | 41.9 | 42.8 | 42.5 | 41.4 | 40.8 | 42.1 | 42.1 |
| *STONE, CLAY & GLASS                        | 36.9 | 37.0 | 37.3 | 37.9 | 36.3 | 36.1 | 37.4 | 37.8 | 36.0 | 36.0 | 36.3 | 36.7 | 37.7 |
| *PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES                   | 36.5 | 36.7 | 42.4 | 36.0 | 36.2 | 37.9 | 36.4 | 40.0 | 40.3 | 41.0 | 35.7 | 40.0 | 36.2 |
| *NONDURABLE GOODS                           | 36.8 | 37.0 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| FOOD & KINDRED PRODUCTS                     | 43.0 | 41.3 | 40.8 | 35.8 | 39.7 | 41.4 | 41.9 | 40.3 | 39.3 | 42.3 | 42.8 | 42.0 | 41.0 |
| *PRINTING & PUBLISHING                      | 32.5 | 32.1 | 32.9 | 32.5 | 33.3 | 34.9 | 33.7 | 34.4 | 34.2 | 33.4 | 33.3 | 33.2 | 33.4 |
| *TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES                 | 36.4 | 36.7 | 36.5 | 37.9 | 37.8 | 36.9 | 36.4 | 36.1 | 36.8 | 37.9 | 36.0 | 37.8 | 38.0 |
| *TRANSPORT                                  | 36.3 | 36.0 | 36.2 | 37.2 | 36.0 | 36.2 | 40.1 | 38.2 | 38.2 | 36.8 | 37.5 | 37.9 | 37.9 |
| *TRUCKING & WAREHOUSE                       | 37.3 | 35.2 | 36.0 | 36.2 | 37.3 | 37.7 | 36.9 | 36.4 | 37.7 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS & UTILITIES                 | 37.1 | 36.0 | 37.0 | 36.3 | 37.5 | 41.1 | 36.3 | 36.0 | 37.4 | 36.5 | 36.8 | 36.3 | 36.1 |
| *COMMUNICATIONS                             | 37.9 | 36.0 | 36.0 | 36.9 | 36.0 | 37.7 | 37.8 | 36.7 | 37.3 | 35.9 | 36.2 | 37.7 | 36.7 |
| *TELEPHONE & COMMUNICATIONS                 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.9 |
| *ELECTRIC, GAS, SANITARY                    | 37.9 | 36.9 | 37.0 | 36.4 | 36.5 | 43.5 | 36.8 | 40.8 | 37.5 | 37.1 | 40.7 | 36.8 | 36.2 |
| *COMBINATION UTILITY                        | 36.4 | 36.9 | 37.1 | 39.3 | 36.2 | 49.5 | 37.9 | 41.2 | 36.2 | 36.8 | 41.3 | 36.2 | 36.0 |
| *TRADE                                      | 28.9 | 26.1 | 26.3 | 29.8 | 29.8 | 30.1 | 31.1 | 30.8 | 29.9 | 29.0 | 29.3 | 30.3 | 29.8 |
| *WHOLESALE TRADE                            | 34.9 | 34.6 | 35.3 | 35.7 | 35.8 | 36.1 | 35.8 | 36.2 | 36.8 | 35.5 | 36.8 | 36.1 | 36.8 |
| *WHOLESALE - DURABLE GOODS                  | 36.5 | 36.7 | 36.2 | 37.2 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.7 | 36.2 | 36.8 | 36.4 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| *MOTOR VEHICLES, PARTS                      | 35.5 | 36.8 | 36.7 | 39.7 | 40.0 | 39.9 | 40.3 | 40.4 | 40.1 | 39.9 | 39.1 | 43.4 | 40.0 |
| *MACHINERY/EQUIPMENT                        | 36.7 | 37.7 | 38.5 | 36.4 | 36.3 | 40.0 | 40.8 | 39.8 | 40.7 | 38.0 | 39.3 | 40.1 | 36.4 |
| *WHOLESALE - NONDURABLE GOODS               | 32.0 | 31.8 | 36.2 | 32.8 | 33.8 | 32.8 | 33.3 | 33.7 | 32.9 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| *GROCERIES & RELATED                        | 33.0 | 32.1 | 32.4 | 32.8 | 33.2 | 32.8 | 33.3 | 33.9 | 31.7 | 33.5 | 33.4 | 33.8 | 33.8 |
| *PETROLEUM, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS              | 34.0 | 33.6 | 34.0 | 33.5 | 34.0 | 34.2 | 34.4 | 33.9 | 32.7 | 33.5 | 33.9 | 34.9 | 33.8 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS NONDURABLE GOODS             | 29.8 | 30.2 | 31.1 | 31.5 | 32.8 | 33.9 | 31.2 | 33.9 | 32.4 | 32.1 | 31.9 | 33.3 | 32.9 |
| *RETAIL TRADE                               | 27.2 | 27.6 | 27.8 | 29.5 | 29.3 | 30.4 | 30.1 | 29.7 | 29.2 | 27.7 | 27.9 | 27.9 | 27.9 |
| *BLDG MATERIALS, GARDEN SUPPLIES            | 34.1 | 34.2 | 35.7 | 35.9 | 36.1 | 34.0 | 35.0 | 36.3 | 36.3 | 36.9 | 36.1 | 36.0 | 36.2 |
| *GENERAL MERCHANDISE                        | 24.7 | 25.9 | 26.6 | 27.2 | 27.3 | 28.4 | 29.2 | 29.6 | 29.2 | 26.7 | 27.0 | 31.8 | 27.7 |
| *DEPARTMENT STORES                          | 25.8 | 26.8 | 27.5 | 27.7 | 27.9 | 28.9 | 29.4 | 29.4 | 28.2 | 26.9 | 27.0 | 27.0 | 27.0 |
| *FOOD STORES                                | 30.3 | 30.3 | 30.7 | 31.5 | 31.0 | 32.1 | 34.1 | 32.2 | 31.2 | 30.4 | 30.1 | 30.3 | 31.2 |
| *AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS                         | 34.4 | 35.8 | 34.8 | 35.1 | 36.5 | 36.9 | 36.2 | 36.3 | 36.9 | 34.8 | 34.3 | 34.7 | 36.8 |
| *NEW USED CARS & DEALERS                    | 35.8 | 40.4 | 35.8 | 37.1 | 36.8 | 40.0 | 40.2 | 40.0 | 38.4 | 37.3 | 35.3 | 36.8 | 38.4 |
| *GAS STATIONS                               | 32.0 | 31.0 | 30.5 | 31.1 | 31.3 | 31.3 | 31.3 | 31.0 | 30.2 | 30.2 | 30.1 | 30.1 | 31.0 |
| *APPAREL & ACCESSORY                        | 29.5 | 29.3 | 29.1 | 29.8 | 29.0 | 29.5 | 29.6 | 29.4 | 29.9 | 24.8 | 29.1 | 27.4 | 29.2 |
| *FURNITURE, HOMEFURN. EQUIPMENT             | 28.3 | 32.3 | 33.0 | 34.8 | 34.8 | 34.7 | 35.4 | 34.1 | 34.1 | 33.2 | 32.2 | 33.3 | 33.8 |
| *EATING & DRINKING PLACES                   | 22.5 | 23.0 | 23.5 | 23.5 | 23.5 | 24.3 | 24.2 | 24.2 | 24.1 | 23.2 | 22.9 | 23.3 | 23.9 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL                       | 28.3 | 29.1 | 28.2 | 28.8 | 28.8 | 28.1 | 30.5 | 29.3 | 29.4 | 28.2 | 29.2 | 30.3 | 29.8 |
| *DRUG STORES                                | 28.8 | 27.9 | 25.8 | 27.1 | 29.1 | 28.1 | 30.0 | 29.1 | 29.8 | 28.2 | 29.0 | 29.8 | 29.8 |
| *MISCELLANEOUS SHOPPING GOODS               | 28.4 | 28.2 | 28.2 | 28.4 | 28.4 | 26.1 | 30.4 | 30.5 | 27.8 | 27.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 27.9 |
| *FINANCE, INSURANCE, REAL ESTATE            | 35.4 | 35.3 | 35.2 | 36.7 | 36.5 | 36.7 | 36.9 | 35.4 | 36.4 | 36.1 | 36.2 | 36.3 | 36.7 |
| *FINANCE                                    | 37.0 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 37.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 | 36.7 |
| *DEPOSITORY INSTITUTIONS                    | 36.5 | 36.2 | 36.1 | 36.4 | 36.3 | 36.4 | 37.9 | 36.7 | 36.1 | 37.2 | 37.1 | 36.3 | 37.1 |
| *COMMERCIAL BANKS                           | 36.7 | 36.9 | 36.5 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.6 | 36.3 | 36.9 | 36.6 | 37.9 | 37.9 | 36.9 | 37.6 |
| *INSURANCE                                  | 37.0 | 37.0 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| *INSURANCE CARRIERS                         | 36.9 | 36.1 | 36.0 | 36.9 | 36.3 | 40.9 | 36.8 | 36.4 | 39.3 | 36.9 | 36.2 | 36.6 | 36.4 |
| *INSURANCE AGENTS                           | 36.1 | 36.9 | 36.8 | 36.9 | 37.0 | 36.8 | 37.7 | 37.3 | 38.1 | 36.9 | 36.2 | 36.7 | 37.0 |
| *REAL ESTATE                                | 29.8 | 29.0 | 29.8 | 30.8 | 29.8 | 29.3 | 31.8 | 29.8 | 29.7 | 27.8 | 28.7 | 29.0 | 29.4 |
| *SERVICES                                   | 30.8 | 30.9 | 30.4 | 30.3 | 30.2 | 30.7 | 31.2 | 31.0 | 31.0 | 30.4 | 29.8 | 30.8 | 30.6 |
| *HOTELS & OTHER LODGING                     | 27.4 | 28.1 | 27.5 | 29.1 | 29.2 | 30.8 | 30.2 | 30.8 | 30.2 | 29.4 | 29.6 | 29.6 | 29.6 |
| *PERSONAL SERVICES                          | 33.4 | 32.9 | 32.0 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 34.7 | 32.8 | 32.3 | 32.8 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 33.3 | 33.0 |
| *BUSINESS SERVICES                          | 29.7 | 29.2 | 29.0 | 29.4 | 29.8 | 29.8 | 29.0 | 29.4 | 29.4 | 27.5 | 28.1 | 28.1 | 28.5 |
| *AUTO & MISC. REPAIR & PARKING              | 33.8 | 34.7 | 35.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 |
| *AMUSEMENT, INCLUDING MOVIES                | 19.9 | 19.8 | 19.2 | 17.2 | 19.8 | 20.9 | 24.3 | 22.8 | 22.9 | 21.4 | 19.8 | 19.8 | 21.0 |
| *HEALTH SERVICES                            | 33.3 | 32.9 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 32.3 | 32.7 | 32.7 | 32.8 | 33.3 | 32.5 | 32.0 | 32.7 | 32.7 |
| *NURSING & PERSONAL CARE                    | 32.7 | 32.7 | 31.8 | 33.1 | 31.4 | 32.1 | 32.5 | 31.3 | 33.3 | 31.4 | 31.8 | 33.3 | 32.3 |
| *HOSPITALS                                  | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 | 33.3 |
| *LEGAL SERVICES                             | 33.7 | 33.9 | 34.3 | 34.8 | 34.9 | 35.4 | 36.7 | 35.0 | 36.3 | 35.7 | 34.8 | 36.4 | 35.0 |
| *SOCIAL SERVICES                            | 29.0 | 29.2 | 29.8 | 29.1 | 29.0 | 24.9 | 24.8 | 25.1 | 24.8 | 22.4 | 24.1 | 24.1 | 24.9 |
| *INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY                        | 29.0 | 29.0 | 29.2 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 | 29.9 |
| *RESIDENTIAL CARE                           | 29.8 | 33.3 | 31.5 | 31.5 | 31.1 | 29.8 | 30.8 | 30.4 | 31.0 | 31.2 | 30.0 | 30.0 | 31.1 |
| *MEMBERSHIP ORGANIZATIONS                   | 27.8 | 29.3 | 28.4 | 27.7 | 29.3 | 30.0 | 29.8 | 30.8 | 29.2 | 31.0 | 30.1 | 30.7 | 29.2 |
| *ENGINEERING & MANAGEMENT                   | 36.3 | 40.8 | 36.8 | 36.8 | 36.3 | 37.1 | 38.0 | 36.6 | 36.4 | 36.0 | 36.7 | 36.8 | 36.4 |
| *ENGINEERS, ARCHITECTS                      | 36.0 | 36.9 | 36.3 | 36.8 | 37.9 | 36.1 | 36.7 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 36.1 | 36.1 |
| *ACCOUNTING, AUDITING                       | 36.9 | 44.1 | 43.9 | 49.4 | 38.1 | 35.0 | 36.5 | 36.0 | 36.9 | 36.9 | 36.1 | 40.3 | 40.9 |

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## GLOSSARY OF TERMS

- 1.) Civilian Labor Force-The number of persons 16 years and older, defined as employed or unemployed, excluding members of the armed forces.
- 2.) Employed-Those persons who work for pay or profit during a week or, as unpaid family workers, work 15 hours or more during a week. Also included as employed are those who although not working had some job attachment and were not looking for work, including persons temporarily absent from a job due to illness, bad weather, vacation, or labor dispute, whether or not they were in a pay status during their time off.
- 3.) Unemployed-Those persons who, for an entire week, did not work at all, were able to work and available for work, and (1) were looking for work or (2) would have looked for work except that (a) they were waiting to return to a job from which they had been laid off, or (b) they were waiting to report to a new wage and salary job scheduled to start within the following 30 days (and were not in school during the week).
- 4.) Unemployed Rate-The number of unemployed expressed as a percent of the civilian labor force.
- 5.) Residence Data-A count of people by where people live.
- 6.) Establishment Data-A count of jobs by where people work.
- 7.) Seasonally Adjusted Labor Force Series-To facilitate the evaluation of labor force, recurrent yearly movements have been isolated and removed using the X-11 ARIMA method of seasonal adjustment. This is the same method used by the Bureau of Labor Statistics to seasonally adjust the national labor force series.
- 8.) MSA-Metropolitan Statistical Area as determined by the Office of Management and Budget. The MSA must have a central city with a population of 50,000 or more.
- 9.) LFA-Labor Force Area as determined by the Research and Analysis Bureau, Montana Department of Labor and Industry, consists of a central city or cities with a population of less than 50,000 and the economically integrated geographical area surrounding it.
- 10.) SDA-The Job Training Partnership Act (JTPA) was established to replace CETA in job search, placement, relocation, and especially training assistance. Each state designs local plans for JTPA programs through a Private Industry Council (PIC). Each PIC jurisdiction is known as a Service Delivery Area (SDA). The two SDA's for Montana are known as Rural CEP (Beaverhead, Broadwater, Deer Lodge, Granite, Jefferson, Lewis & Clark, Madison, Meagher, Powell, and Silver Bow counties) and Balance of State (the other 46 counties).
- 11.) Benchmarking-A continuous process of establishing a new set of data which affects the series of estimates through revision. Once a new benchmark is established, the adjustments to estimates between the new benchmark and the preceding one are carried forward progressively to the current month by use of sample or secondary data. In the case of employment data, the benchmark is used to establish the level of employment, while the sample is primarily used to measure the month-to-month changes in the level.
- 12.) CES-790 Program-The Current Employment Statistics survey produces monthly estimates of a wide variety of employment and earnings information for the nation and each state.

### Reliability of CES Estimates

The relatively large size of the CES 790 sample (*see table below*) assures a high degree of accuracy, but the CES estimates may differ from a complete count. A link relative technique is used to estimate employment. This requires the use of the previous month's estimate as a base in computing the current month's estimate. Thus errors may accumulate over several months. To remove the error in the estimates, the CES is adjusted annually to a new benchmark. The base of the benchmark is the 202, which is a complete count of all employees who are covered by Montana unemployment insurance laws. The 202 is adjusted for employees who are not covered by the state's unemployment insurance laws through the use of special surveys of that noncovered employment. The benchmark revision also adjusts the estimates for changes in industrial classification of individual establishments. The *following table* presents the amount and percent revision of **All Employees** at the most recent benchmark for major industry divisions.

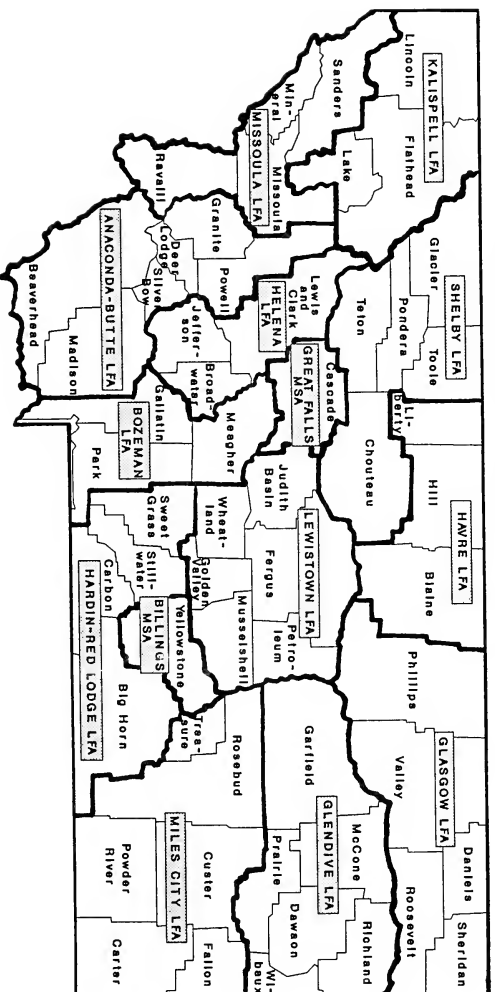
| <b>Benchmark Evaluation of ALL EMPLOYEES<br/>For Major Industry Divisions in Montana<br/>(Employment in Thousands)</b> |                       |                        |                           |                            |                         |                           |                            |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Industry Title   | Final<br>Est.<br>3/90 | Bench-<br>mark<br>3/90 | Amount<br>Revised<br>1990 | Percent<br>Revised<br>1990 | Sample<br>Units<br>3/90 | Sample<br>Employ.<br>3/90 | Sample<br>% of<br>Universe |
| TOTAL Nonagricultural  | 290.2                 | 288.6                  | -1.6                      | -0.55%                     | 1975                    | 110.6                     | 38%                        |
| TOTAL Private  | 218.9                 | 216.2                  | -2.7                      | -1.25%                     | 1762                    | 69.3                      | 32%                        |
| Goods Producing  | 34.6                  | 35.3                   | 0.7                       | 1.98%                      | 346                     | 14.0                      | 40%                        |
| Private Service Producing  | 184.3                 | 180.9                  | -3.4                      | -1.83%                     | 1416                    | 55.3                      | 31%                        |
| Mining   | 6.0                   | 6.1                    | 0.1                       | 1.64%                      | 62                      | 3.4                       | 56%                        |
| Construction   | 7.3                   | 8.1                    | 0.8                       | 9.88%                      | 125                     | 1.5                       | 19%                        |
| Manufacturing  | 21.3                  | 21.1                   | -0.2                      | -0.95%                     | 159                     | 9.1                       | 43%                        |
| Durable Goods  | 13.4                  | 13.3                   | -0.1                      | -0.75%                     | 97                      | 4.9                       | 37%                        |
| Nondurable Goods   | 7.9                   | 7.8                    | -0.1                      | -1.28%                     | 62                      | 4.2                       | 54%                        |
| Transportation & Utilities   | 19.3                  | 19.7                   | 0.4                       | 2.03%                      | 153                     | 11.3                      | 57%                        |
| Trade  | 77.9                  | 75.2                   | -2.7                      | -3.59%                     | 674                     | 19.0                      | 25%                        |
| Wholesale  | 15.8                  | 15.4                   | -0.4                      | -2.60%                     | 224                     | 4.0                       | 26%                        |
| Retail   | 62.1                  | 59.8                   | -2.3                      | -3.85%                     | 450                     | 15.0                      | 25%                        |
| Finance, Insurance & Real Estate   | 13.4                  | 13.1                   | -0.3                      | -2.29%                     | 169                     | 4.4                       | 34%                        |
| Services   | 73.7                  | 72.9                   | -0.8                      | -1.10%                     | 420                     | 20.6                      | 28%                        |
| Government   | 71.3                  | 72.4                   | 1.1                       | 1.52%                      | 71                      | 41.3                      | 57%                        |

**Women Workers, Production Workers, and Hours and Earnings** estimates are not subject to benchmark revisions at the estimating cell level because there is no universe count available. These categories are entirely sample based. The broader groupings may be affected by changes in employment weights as the cells are reaggregated during benchmarking.

## SOURCES OF DATA

- S-1.) Prepared by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry's Research and Analysis Bureau in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS). LAUS data (Local Area Unemployment Statistics program) is adjusted to the Current Population Survey benchmark and is the official BLS approved series that is used to allocate federal funds and determine eligibility for federal assistance programs. This series represents employment and unemployment by place of residence, and is not comparable to the place-of-work industry employment series (CES data). LAUS data is calculated for the week that includes the 12th of the month. Workers involved in labor disputes are counted as employed. Total employment in the labor force also includes agricultural workers, unpaid family workers, domestic workers and the self-employed.
- S-2.) Prepared by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry's Research and Analysis Bureau. The unadjusted unemployment rate is prepared by the LAUS program in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics. The seasonally adjusted rate is an unofficial series, and is provided only for use as a state economic indicator.
- S-3.) Prepared by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry's Research and Analysis Bureau from LAUS data. Data for Congressional Districts, Service Delivery Areas and Labor Force Areas is calculated from the official data series by summing up employment and unemployment for the appropriate counties involved, and calculating an unemployment rate from the summed data for each area.
- S-4.) Prepared by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry's Research and Analysis Bureau in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics. Data from the CES (Current Employment Statistics) program represents employment by place-of-work, and covers full-time and part-time employees who worked during, or received pay for, the payroll period that includes the 12th of the month. The data excludes the self-employed, volunteers, unpaid family workers and domestic workers. Persons on sick leave, vacations, or holidays (and being paid for that period by their employer) are considered employed. Payroll and worker-hour data is collected for production and related workers in manufacturing industries, non-supervisory workers in private service-producing industries, and construction workers in construction industries. The earnings figures are "gross" figures — that is, they reflect changes in wage rates, shift differentials and premium pay for overtime work. The hours figures relate to the hours for which pay was received, which is different from scheduled or standard work hours.
- S-5.) Prepared by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry's Research and Analysis Bureau from a survey of Business Establishments as part of the BLS 790 Program. Information on Women Workers is computed as a ratio of All Employees of the Current Employment Statistics, and is produced for informational purposes only.
- S-6.) Tabulations produced by the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics, and reprinted by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry's Research and Analysis Bureau for informational purposes only. This is a national data series because Montana data is not computed separately.
- S-7.) Prepared by the Montana Department of Labor and Industry in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics. Data is incorporated from each state's unemployment insurance database in order to identify, describe and track the effects of major job cutbacks. Montana's MLS program tracks layoffs of at least 31 days of duration in which 20-or-more initial claims are filed against an employer within a 3-week period. Nationally, the MLS program concentrates on layoffs involving at least 50 laid-off workers.

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